Princess And

Ballet Dancer

HONG KONG, SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 1949.

Price: 20 Conts.



No. 182

Two-Inch Incision To Improve Circulation CONDITION SATISFACTORY

London, March 12. The 53-year-old monarch of the British Empire underwent an operation to restore the circulation of his right leg today.

The bulletin issued by the nine physicians said the operation was completely successful and the King's condition was entirely satisfactory.

The operation was performed before noon in a bedroom of Buckingham Palace which had been converted into an operating theatre.

Three Hurt As Ferry Attacked

A machine gun, attack in which three passengers were wounded, two severely, was made on a Hong Kong ferry boat plying between the New Territories and Chinese territory 'yesterday morning.

The wounded passengers are Tse Chevng aged 35, who suffered a leg wound, Lam Yu-san, aged 28 with wounds in the thigh, neck and body, and Lau Fook-cheong, aged 20, wounded in the thigh. All the three men were brought to Kwong Wah Hospital.

The attack was made on the Chi Keung and a Chinese Maritime Custom launch in Mirs Bay The ferry boat, on a regular run from Taipo to Shayuchung, was stopped at Shayuchung for inspection by the Chinese Maritime Cus-

During the inspection, machine gun fire from the shore struck the two boats causing damages to the superstructure and windows. The Custom lannch returned fire which was exchanged for more

than half an hour. During the firing, the passengers on the Chi Keung withdrew to cover but the three men were hit before they could scramble to any place of safety.

The Chi Keung returned to Talpo having been unable to discharge its passengers at Shayu-

The passengers were later brought back to Talpo. lances from Kowloon brought the three wounded men to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

NT Farmers Object To Market Plan

Agitation against Government's vegetable marketing ers, the "Sunday Herald" was Dalton, reliably informed yesterday.

Secretary on Monday, giving three Press and Associated Press. main reasons for terminating the scheme or making drastic improvements in its operation and administration.

The reasons advanced are understood to be, first, the commission charged for handling the sales is excessive; secondly, red tope and delay in disposal of the At 0600 GMT (2 p.m. HKST) a low vegetables, often result in vege- pressure area centred over South West tables, which are perishables, be- China dominates China and Indo-China. ing ruined, causing lower prices hallo trough extends South Westwards of the newly-requisitioned pre- cation of the next of kin.—Asso- been shanghaled into the organiand thirdly, due to the strict control imposed by the marketing system, farmers in most cases are ridge extending from the Pacific antiworking at a loss.

Government's marketing scheme requires all farmers to channel their vegetables to the Govern- and occasional drisale night and early ment markets for sale, and pri- morning. vate sales direct to buyers are prohibited under penalty of fines.

OCTOGENARIAN BECOMES FATHER

Berkeley, California, March 12. The birth of a son to 87-yearold Dr. Andrew C. Lawson, University of California Professor Emeritus, and his 39-yearold wife. Isabel, is announced. Dr. Lowson is one for the world's foremost geologists, The baby was the couple's dist child in 18 years of marriage, Router.

The operation was performed by Professor James R. Learmouth of Edinburgh, American-trained surgeon and senior Palace physician, and Professor J. Patterson Ross, Director of Surgery at St. Bart's Hospital in London.

The official bulletin signed by the nine doctors said, "Operation of humbar sympathectomy was performed on the King at 10 a.m. His Majesty's condition is entirely satisfactory."

It is understood the operation required a two-inch incision and took less than half an hour, Oncen Elizabeth, Princers Elisubeth, the Duke of Edinburgh and Princess Margaret Rose remained in the Palace while the operation was being performed. The King's mother, Downger Queen Mary, was informed by telephone at Marlborough House a few blocks from Buckingham

Nine Doctors

to improve circulation in the dead Captain J. L. A. Smith of King's right leg the physicians the Royal Army Service Corps. were doubtful it would bring | As the Guards' vehicles came about complete recovery. Dr. to a halt before a road block on Learmouth, who performed the a rough highway through a rubpoperation, personally informed | ber estate, the insurgents opened Queen Elizabeth it had been con- fire with mortars, machine-guns cluded successfully.

The King spent last evening It was believed that this is the quietly in the Palace with Queen first time the insurgents have used Elizabeth. Princess Elizabeth and mortars. her husband, Prince Philip, remained at the Palace instead of munist area where 600 Chinese making their usual week-end squatters were recently rounded trip to the country.

The King has suffered since Reuter, last autumn from impaired eirculation in the arteries of both legs: The blood flow in the left leg has improved satisfactorily, the doctors said. They described this general health condition otherwise to be excellent,-United Press and Associated Press.

MORE QUAKES ROCK NSW

Sydney, March 12. Three more earthquakes have hit the Dalton district. Dalton has suffered 21 tremors

since midnight. scheme has again flared up South Wales yesterday caused among New Territories farm- an estimated £3,000 damage at terday.

The Rev. Daniel O'Connell, the first floor of No. 7, Hillwood A petition is being drawn up, Director of Riverview Obsersigned by all farmers in the New | vatory here, said the tremors Territories, for presentation to the were the most severe felt in Governor through the Colonial Australia in 15 years,—United



East and South of Japan. Pressure is mises to make representations to relatively high over Korea and a weak the nuthorities concerned in re-

cyclone to Formous. Today's Forecast :- Moderate ESE winds. mainly cloudy with coastal fog, low cloud

Yesterday's Weathert-Maximum: 76.6 deg. Fab. Minimums 67.7 deg. Fah. Sunshine: 4.5 hours.

Rainfallt Nil. Total since Jan, 1-129.0 mm,=5.08 ins. as against an system of 108.4 mm.=4.19 ins.

SASSIES OF YOUR	# 1271275-mm.	BANK SHOWS W	
	Readir	igw at	
	lo m.m	4 p.m.	
Baro, at m.s.I	1014.5 1	311,8 m.b.	
Equals	29.98	29.56 incl	106.
Rel. Humidity	94	.87 %	٠.
Dow , Point	70.	. Of deg. F.	•
Wind Direction	E .	E	
Wind . Force	18	5 knote.	
Tidea :-	. Time .	. It.	
High	0026	4.0	
	. 2018 -	7.7	
Low	014B	- 0.B	

Terrorists Kill Four Guardsmen

Singapore: March 12. British Guardsmen were killed today in a terrorist ambush when they leaped from their motortrucks, fixed bayonels and charged the insurgents' hide-out in a rubber plantation, near Kajang, 15 miles South of Kuala Lumpur. Though Kuala Lumpur unomcial reports stated that five Guardsmen were killed, the latest army official report said that four Guardsman were killed, one offcer and one Guardsman seriously wounded, and two Guardsmon less seriously wounded.

Royal Air Force planes yester-Five nurses were in attendance day attacked the gang's hide-out on the King in addition to nine and the Guardsmen ran into the of Britain's foremost physicians ombush as they were hot on the trial of the men, whom they be-While the operation is expected lieved last week to have shot and hand grenades.

Kajang is the notorious Com- ed States military reservation

up and repairiated to China,-

One More Apartment Requisitioned

A total of five vacant premises (not four as announced earlier by the Government Public Relations Office) was the vicinity of the air base were requisitioned by the author-Earth tremors reported in New ities concerned on Friday, the homes after dark. "Sunday Herald" learned yes-

The fifth flat commandeered is Road, according to an omeial

Mr. D. Benson, Chairman the Allocation Committee, is in

Australia on leave. been appointed.

The procedure in applying for requisitioned premises apparently is the same as officially announced on November 1 last and published in the "China Mail" the following day.

The latest date for the owners gard to Friday's action was not available yesterday.

CHINESE ARRESTED IN BANGKOK RAID

Bangkok, March 12. Police today raided several Page 6 hotels in Bongkok and the suburbs, rounding up about 100 Chinese including former officers of Page 8 the 03rd Chinese Army suspected of conducting activities in concert with the Chinese Communists.

A'number of documents, a mass of photographs and Chinese Army uniforms were discovered and Page 12; confiscated. The booty also included radio transmitters. - Arrests are still continuing .--

. Princess Elizabeth, watched by the Duke of Edinburgh, congratulates Ballerina Moira Shearer, Scots ballet artiste, on her performance at a concert given in honour of the Royal couple at the Usher Hall, Edinburgh. Earlier in the day the Duke had received the freedom of the city. The Princess is wearing a crinoline gown of white satin embroidered with crystals, a diamond tiara and neckiace .-- AP Photo.

U.S. Soldier, Two Girls Killed In Ambush Near Clark Field Base

Manila, March 12. A hail of bullets from ambush killed an American soldier and two Filipino girls and wounded five other girls early today.

unknown assailants opened fire with rifles and tommy guns on an Army truck converted into a bus while it was carrying the group back to their homes from a dance at Clark -Field-air-base-in-Central-Luzon.----

The attack took place at 12.30 a.m. within 300 yards of the main gates to the big Unit-60 miles North of Manila. The American soldier, who was driving the bus, and the two girls were killed instantly. Military police rushed the five other victims to hospital at San

[Fernando, Pampanga Province. Brigadier-General · Jared V Crabb, Commander of the United States 18th Fighter Wing, opened immediate investigation. He also ordered a rigid curiew forbid- in Indo-China guerilla fighting ding all American civilians and military personnel from leaving former Japanese and German Ruomintang, General Ho further orders.

To Keep Indoors American civilians living in

American MP's in investigation into France in July, 1947, arrived to determine the motive for the here today on the naval tanker of its kind to take place near months of adventure which left the important air installation. There has been fighting in the

Fighting has been intermittent before joining the Navy. throughout Central Luzon since the end of the war. Clark Field brutality by the Legion both bloodshed. puthorities did not identify the against himself and hundreds, of murdered-soldier pending notifi- other men who claimed they had

ON OTHER PAGES

Macao. .:

Movie Producer May Base Film On Macao Crash. Russia Keeping Watch On Turkey.

Pact Page 10 3-Britain Worried By India De. at the first opportunity," Ryan The reports said that the United valopments.

Empty Premises-An Editorial. China border into China on balanco-though not a dollar Page 14: Britain To Increase Akaba I reached Canton - Associated during the fourth quarter of 1940.

French Army's Casualties Indo-China

Yokosuka Naval Base,

Japan, March 12. The French Army is suffering 2,000 casualties a month with Annamite natives led by from the French Foreign cording to observers. Legion.

him in poor physical shape. Ryan gives anything but the Generalissimo's opinion.

past near Clark Field. American impression of being the type of The Government Public Rela- intelligence felt previous clashes man who would join the tough tions Office was not able to state were not directed at Americans Foreign Legion of France. He is whether a new Chairman has but were the outgrowth of fight- soft-spoken and mild appearing.

> sation and against Annamite Good natives in Indo-China. He said another American

welter, Walter Lavy, aged 20 of Buston, also had been shanghaled and was either in French Indo-Annual Rotary Conference in China or dead. Ryan said Levy once attempted to commit suicide after being badly boaten for pro- shall Aid last quarter justifies testing against his forced stay in reasonable satisfaction, accordthe Legion. He said Levy was a ling to a British Government remedical student in Paris when port issued today, he was kidnapped and sent to Africa and later to Indo-China. "Eighty five percent of the tions of Marshall Aid are pequired Italy's Adherence To Atlantic men in the Foreign Legion are by the United States Act and by Germans' and 60 per cent of the the Anglo-American . Economic

October 10, 1948 and finally balance in international payments

Legislators Approve Ho As Premier; Hard Task Ahead

Nanking, March 12.

The Legislative Yuan today approved by 209 votes to 38 against, with one invalid, the nomination by President Li Tsung-jen of General Ho Ying-chin as Nationalist China's next Premier succeeding Dr. Sun Fo.

cial reform and peace negotia-

Simultaneously, it is be-

fleved that General Ho will

press on with sweeping pro-

gramme of social reforms in

the provinces to strangthan

Nationalist influence there so

that the Nationalist- will retain

some measure of control when

the expected Communist-

dominated Cabinet is establish-

General Ho's influence with

wartime Minister of Defence,

SHIP LEAVES

FOR-TIENTSIN

The ss. Grand left last night

four Hong Kong vessels to take

Becoming impatient after listening to two legislators open the debate on the nomination, members of the Yuan called for an immediate vote and received the announcement of the decision of voting with applause. General Ho Ying-chin is expected now to arrive

missions in the outgoing dent of army reorganisation, so-

Cabinet

in Nanking tomorrow to begin selecting his Cabinet. It is expected to comprise | To prepare for this decision, eight portfollos and two to General Ho is expected faithfully three Commissions, instead of to endeavour to implement the 15 portfolios and three com- policies outlined by the Presi-

Legislators who spoke at to- To ensure that this can be imday's debute emphasised the plemented, General Ho is exnecessity that General Ho should pected to endeavour to "get choose the right men as his slong" with the Generalissimo Ministers to eliminate incom- until the latter can be persunded petence and corruption to achieve to go abroad, or until the reorreforms in accordance with the ganisation of the armies has late Dr. Sun Yat-sen's teachings, reached the stage where control and to obtain democratic peace. is centralised under General Ho's

Cabinet.

Press reports in Nanking today said that either Dr. Shoo 14-ise or General Chang Chihchung, two of Nationalist China's most ardent proponents for peace. is likely to be selected by General Ho as Deputy Premier.

Reform Programme

if this is confirmed it will menn that General Ho will press on immediately with the the militarists, both controlling programme to reorganies. Na. | the Nationalists and running tionalist armies, centralising many, provincial political adtheir control junder the Qov- ministrations, is regarded as the ernment, introducing social res obvious reason for his selection forms through Provincial ad- by the President. ministrations ... "and negotiating ... Apart from this and his prepeace on the basis of equality vious experience as China's with the Communists.

General Ho Ying-chin has Admiration for his decision, on special qualifications that would his 60th birthday, to undertake suit him for the Premiership, and this almost insuperable task, ne will have an uphill battle rather than any real confidence qualified observers said here tothat he will be wholly successful, day.—Reuter-AAP. was the prevailing sentiment in the capital as the Legislative Yuan's approval was given to his appointment.

Reliable sources_told Reuter today they believed General Ho's most difficult potential problem-and General Ho It believed to have hesitated in to re-open officially the deaccepting the Premiership funct Hong Kong-Tientsin run when he heard of it-was the with more than 2,000 tons of reported decision yesterday of local cargo to barter for North Generalissimo Chiang Kai- China products. shek to reject the "polite ultimatum" taken by the Nanking mission to Chikow, near Panamanian steamer is one of the Fenghua, that the retired Prosident should go, abroad.

Fear now prevails among those who support-General Ho that the new Premier may be hamstrung the Whampon clique within Academny the air base after 6 p.m. until officers, said an American takes second place among the Navy seaman who escaped most powerful men in China, ac-Through the loyalty of his

Slight, blond, five-foot six- secret Kuomintang police and strongly advised to keep to their inch James Patrick Ryan, aged numerous army commanders, 24, who said he was shanghaied Chiang Kai-shek, they say, coul The Philippine. Constabulary into the Legion when he missed easily render the implementation and civilian authorities joined his ship in Italy and pursued it of General Ho's preparatory measures for peace ineffective, if the price that General Ho and other attack. It was the first shooting Manatce on route home after 20 Nanking peace-makers pay at the conference table with the Chinese Communists is too great in the

To Follow Policies

Well-informed circles say that ing between Philippine Con- despite the fact, however, that General Ho will be unwilling to stabulary troops and armed pea-, he served in the 45 Infantry yield completely to the Commun-Division in Italy during the war lists, but the his ultimate decision may be taken with a view He told a shocking story of to averting further hopeless

Recovery

London, March 11. Britain's recovery with Mar-

Quarterly reports on the operamen L'talked to want to escape Co-operation Agreement

Kingdom must have approached Ryan escaped across the Indo- very close to a position of overall

Chinese Hack Gunman In NY

New York, March 12. Two Chinese charged into gunfire early today and, with kitchen Eknives, hacked a fleeing holdup man so badly that he collapsed a few blocks away:

Police said the gunman, Joseph Molinaro, aged 41. selzed U.S.330 in a restaurant on Eighth Avenue. Jack Wong, aged 24, a walter, pursued him, swinging a kitchen knife. Laon B. Buey, the restaurant owner, joined In the chase.

Police said Wong was felled after being shot twice in the stomach. Sucy than overtook Molinare, police said, and hacked at him with a meat cleaver. Molinaro was arrested after he collapsed, bleeding from Wounds-Associated Press.

Provisional Govt For C. China

Shanghai, March 12. A provisional people's government for central China, under the chairmanship of the famous one-eyed general, Liu Po-cheng, has been established in Kalfeng, capital of Honan Province, according to an announcement by the North Shensi Communist radio,

The new administration, which will have jurisdiction over some 45 million people living in the plains between the Yangise and Yellow rivers, was elected by the Central China People's Congress, held at Kalfeng between March 3 and 6.

Eighty-one delegates from five provinces, Honan, Hupeh, Shen-Formerly flying the Chinese flag si, Anhwei and Kiangsu, attendand known as the Dah Chung, the ed the Congress.

The announcement of General the initiative in resuming business Liu Po-cheng's election as chairwith the Chinese Communists. | man indirectly refutes the recent The first to leave for Tientsin Nationalist reports that this wellwas the Eastern Trader. The known Red guerilla strategist Lady Wolmer and the Esang are was killed in a Nationalist due to depart today for Weihai- bombing near Hsuchow in wei and Taku Bar, respectively. January,-Reuter.

Adds Refreshment To Every Occasion

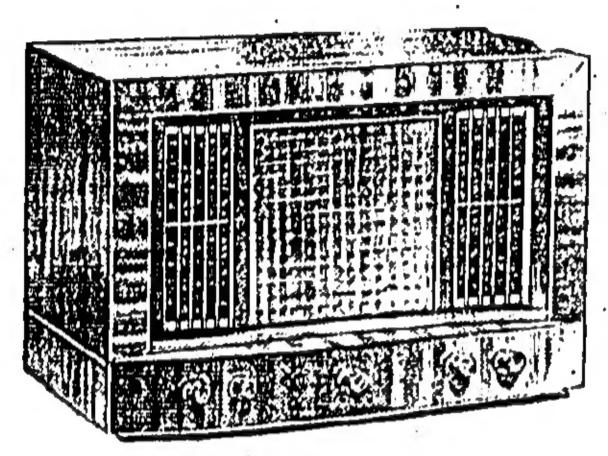




PHILCO TROPIC

BY DODWELL & CO. LTD., SOLE AGENTS

Carreras, London, 150 Years' Reputation for Quality,



Model 890

FOR YEARS, THE QUALITY LEADER! HERE ARE SOME OF THE FEATURES.

Powerful Ainico V Permanent Magnet Dynamic Speaker 11 Tubes. 10 Tuning Bands

Highly Efficient AC Superheterodyne Circuit

Push-Pull Beam Power Audio System with 11 Watts Output.... Two-Stage Tuned LF. Amplifier.... R.F. Stage Provision for Attaching Record Player with Phono position on Band Switch.

ASK FOR A DEMONSTRATION AT YOUR FAVOURITE- RADIO DEALER

* Sole Distributors:—

WONG & COMPANY

Rolex Oyster-the permanently

Bank of East Asia Bldg.

Tel. 31134.

waterproof watch The ROLEX Overse, created in 1926, was the world's first naterproof natch. Today, twenty-two years later, it is still the linest, and its reputation, both for long life and for precision, remains unrivalled. This is because the unions Overter conbecause the unique Oyater case affords permanent protection to the movement, by the patented self-scaling action of one metallic surface upon another. Moreover, both men's and ladies' models are extremely handsome in appearance, and are available either in stainless atcel or in solid gold, No wonder they are treasured by over a million men and women in every part of the globe. ROLEX OFFICIALLY CERTIFIED WRIST-CHRONOMETERS



THE MOST POPULAR WATCH

THE WORLD OVER

should be treasured! Use EYE-GENE eye drops Sole Distributors: UNITED TRADERS, Ltd.,

Of Rotary 96

Annual Conference of Rotary International District 96 was convened at Macao yesterday. Last year it was held at Canton.

Hong Kong Rotarians left for the Portuguese Colony by the ss. Cheung Hing at 9 a.m. and presented their credentials at the Hotel Bela

The Conference was called (to order under the chairmanship of Mr. G. E. Marden at the Club de Macao. In an address Mr. Pedro La-

bato, President of the Host Club, dovernment - transperience sonal delegate of Mr. Angus S. Mitchell, (President of Rotary International) Dr. Li Shu-fan. the Fiscal Agent of Rotary International in China, Dr. C.T. Wang, all delegates in District 96 and visiting Rotarians.

Mr. Lobato added: "This is the first occasion in the short history of the Macao Club that a Rotary District Conference has been held here, and we are very proud to have been chosen for such a signal honour.

SEVEN KILLED IN COLLISION

Seven people were killed in a collision between an Army lorry and a train on Friday at a crossing on the railway line running the betterment of the community if into Canton from the North. A pilot, returning to Hong while on his regular Hong Kong- was introduced. Canton run. He said he inquired in Canton Mitchell, President of Rotary Inupon arriving there and learned the collision.

ARMED ROBBERY

In an armed robbery at No. 69, Portland Street, ground floor, about 8 o'clock last night, four address on Community Service, men with revolvers herded the "Know Your Community's Need" inmates into a rear cubicle and by Dr. F.I. Tseung, Mr. H. N ransacked the premises. They Tseng, Secretary of the Canton took away HK\$120 in cash and a Rotary Club, gave a talk on gold ring. No arrest has been Vocational Service. His subject

BATHING SHEDS

rary application forms at the District Office, Kowloon Magistracy officially stated yesterday.

"Macao is one of the charming colonies in South China. Its historical landmarks, churches, shops, parks, and amusements will fascinnte you and ever remain a happy recollection.

"I thank the organisers and their untifing elloris to make the Conference a success and the visitors a most enjoyable gather-

"Here you bask in the wannth of the fellowship of Macao Rotarians, living in a peace-loving city which many of you have previously visited, and others are sceing for the first time.

Constructive Criticism "If there is anything we can serve you, please do not hesitate to let us know. We invite your

constructive criticism. "I sincerely hope that hosts and visitors will all work together in the greatest co-operation to enable the Conference achieve success, both in material attainment and spiritual inspiration, in orden to lead the Rotary Movement for in this part of the world.

Mr. D.S. Hill, President of the Kong yesterday, said that he had Hong Kong Rotary Club, respondseen the accident from the air ed following which Mr. K. Huang A message from Mr. A.S.

> ternational, was read by Dr. Li the District Governor. An address on Club Service, "Making it Work! was given by Mr. H.S. Chuck, President of the

> Canton Rotary Club. This was followed by a second "What can Rotarians do to Promote Vocational Service." The Conference dinner was

held at the Riviera Hotel where Residents who intend to part- the Governor of Macao, Commanicipate in the ballot for shathing der Oliveira, welcomed the delesheds and sites in the New Tor- gates. The first session of the ritories should obtain the neces. Conference ended with a dance, The second session will open at 10 a.m. today and will be call-Building, without delay, it was ed to order by the District Gov-



can give them ---

REDIFFUSION

for a year!

Give your friends-give yourself — the constant pleasure Rediffusion brings—the world's best programmes every day from 7 a.m. to midnight -and cheap! Only \$9 a month, \$25 to install Rediffusion home . . . isn't that sound proposition?

Call 22605



"Given up to last night to move elsewhere squatters on the former Queen's College site started dismantling their dilapidated, wooden shacks yesterday. They went very relucthe "Sunday Herald" reporter yesterday that some are mov-They must all be cleared out by today. - "Bunday Herald"

Missionary's Talk On Chinese Reds

was much safer for one when the Japanese were around then it is now under the Red banner in China in the opinion of many up North, according to a Roman Catholic missignary who recently arrived from Hupei Province in the Colony.

that seven persons had died in Shu-fan, followed by a report by The Reverend Father A. de Jaegher, who has lived with the Chinese people for many years as parish priest gave a vivid account of life under the Communist regime to a large gathering at the Catholic Centre yesterday.

by the Reverend Father N. they had some conversation to- to the community by remaining

Father de Jaegher stated that eccasion to comment to the gen- gency or by volunteering for during the war, when the Na- cral that not all rich people worr some other forms of service can tionalists and Communists joined had. The general replied the obtain guidance from Governforces against the common even though one out of 10 rich ment. enemy, the Reds, who occupied persons was good, it was not his district in Hupei, ruled the proper for the nine to be spared prevent an individual from repeople with an iron hand by the proposition that one was either In that district, the speaker said Colonel Ride, Preferences as anti-Japanese or anti-Communist, mentioned, many wealthy persons to the type of services will be Thus, if any person said he was were later shot or buried alive respected but may be over-ridden anti-Japanese he was automati- and their houses taken over by if the public interest so demands. cally a Communist whether he the Reds. Red slogans were Registration is the key to the liked it or not, and vice versa.

When the Reds first entered the | village. village, the speaker went on, the officer commanding the troops officer commanding the troops demanded of the villagers to see the district magistrate or head. He had previously been elected before that time by the village to act as magistrate on account of a ruse devised by him as a important-looking person there, who enquired whether he result of which the village had a priest, was afraid of him. been spared being plundered by as a priest, was afraid of him factory in view of the fact that the Japanese. As magistrate of that that area, he went to see the why he should be afraid.

said, "then told me that if I did many priests and burnt churches?" not bring him \$20,000 and 200 rifles, he would have me and ringing in my ears", Fr. de everybody else in the village Jaegher declared;

mained adamant."

the general expressed his gratethe general expressed his gratethe general expressed his gratefulness, and mentioned that he
involved.

had never before been in a vilAfter the talk, the speaker
He added that if more than 3,had never before been in a vil- . After the talk, the speaker lage where the people were su was thanked by Reverend Father willing to co-operate. Mestrini.

BECOME A MEN-BER OF THE

BONG KONG

AUTOMOBILE, ASSOCIATION

NOW!

gether, during which time he had at their civil posts in an emer-

because of the one.

The man said "Are you not afraid of me, who have killed

told him that it was a gathering that he had on many vices. One hundred and fortydifficult thing to do, but he re- cccasions been approached by two former members of the dis-mained adament." cccasions been approached by two former members of the Communist solved HKVDC have already re-Continuing, the speaker said Party up North who asked him gistered. he finally complied with the de- to help them escape. He had to Colonel Ride said he is confid-mands of the general to which turn them down, he said, as he ent that when the remaining



tantly about the work as they had nowhere to go. They told ing to isolated vacant places in the city, some are moving to Tal Hang and Happy Valley. On the site are some 300 shacks.

number of points regarding the present registration of volunteers for the Hang Kong Defence Force were clarified by Colonel L. Ride, Commandant of the new force, over Radio Hong Kong last night.

Colonel Ride said that registrations by last night totalled 2,223, of which 1,260 are for the Defence Force.

The present registration of volunteers, he said, is not a recruiting drive but registration of those who are able and willing to render voluntary service during an emergency

Because of their commitments to their firms a large number of people in the Colony do not know, whether they are free to serve in the Hong Kong Defence Force is an emergency. This difficulty, said Colonel Ride, can be overcome by the present registration of volunteers. ..

The registration will give the nuthorities an idea of the available manpower willing to serve where each individual can serve

A Government servant or an employee of a civil firm does not know whether he can enlist in d fighting unit until he knows how he stands with his firm, but he ought to be able to state now whether he is willing to offer his services in case of an emergency. added Colonel Ride.

nothing more except that he can also state the type of service he HK Light Orchestra, concert of prefers.

Colonel Ride said that every one can register now, but no one HK Art Club sketching party, can be recruited until It is known that he is free to do so as far as his civil occupation is concerned.

Guidance Offered

Colonel Ride added that any firm which is in doubt whether The speaker was introduced | Fr. de Jaegher further said its sinf will be of greater service

> Doubt on this point need not gistering his willingness to serve. shown at prominent places in the whole situation, said Colonel Ride. Until it is completed the kuthorities will not be able to

Of the target figure of 7,000. some 4,000 are wanted for essendifful services, and about 3,000 t "I can still hear those words supplement the fighting services inging in my ears", Fr. do Among the 2,223 registrations, fiegher declared.

1,250 are for the Defonce Force, and 963 for other voluntary ser-

> 000 fighting men are registered he will not consider the scheme as having fulled.



Today

Rotary Annual District Conference at Macno. The present registration is his Toc H Club Classical Concert, opportunity to offer his services -- Talbot House, 50, MacDonnell Talbot House, 50, MacDonnell

> Peninsula popular music, Hotel, 9 p.m. members to assemble at the Kowloon Star Ferry Wharf,

10.30 a.m. Talk on."The influence of Iran on Modern Civilisation" by Mr. R. Pestonii, European YMCA, 8.30 p.m.

European YMCA Tennis Tourna-

Coming Events TOMORROW

HK Football Referces Association monthly meeting, 8.30 p.m. Whist Drive, European YMCA. 8 p.m.

TUESDAY Bridge Drive, European YMCA, 8 HK Women's International Club extraordinary and general

meeting, 1st., iftr., Gloucester Bldg., 1.45 p.m. Urban Council meeting, GPO Bldg., 4.15 p.m. HK Rotary Club luncheon, talk on ."Burma Today," by Mr.

L.B. Allen. Roof Garden, HK

on "Family Case-Work" by Miss M.S. Watson, PRO Lecturd Room, 5.30 p.m.

By dissolving and removing the body poisons and acids that name stiffness, soreness and swelling of Arthritis and Rheumatism the amazing new discovery reming is bringing health and happiness to thousands of one-time sufferers. In 10 minutes after the first dose of Remine pains vanish like masto, the few days swelling, seveness and stiffness of Rheumatism. Arthritis, Solution, Neuritis and Lumbago, disappear like masto. Meuritis and Lumbago, disappear like masto. Meuritis and and joints become supple and limber. You are normally active and care work and enjoy life, Remind is guaranteed to give these results or money back on return of empty backers. Get Remind from your chemist today. The guarantee protects you.

FINEST DEVELOPING & ENLARGING

YOU CAN RELY ON



ALEXANDER BLDG., HONG KONG

192, NATHAN ROAD, KOWLOON

Also dealers of all kinds of CAMERAS & FILMS.

STOMACH

not behaving? Correct it swiftly, solely, surely! What with ? Why De Witt's

Hollywood Producer May Make Film Based Macao Piracy Crash

Mr. Otto Preminger, colebrated Hollywood produce .- director, told the "Sunday Herald" yesterday that he was considering making a movie based upon the tragic air piracy crash at Macao last July.

Nothling has been settled yet", Mr. Preminger stressed, "but we are considering that idea amongst others."

or both places may be used as settings for part of the forthion, however, will probably be set in Hong Kong.

Editor takes no responsibility for views expressed in letters by correspondents, and by no means necessarily agrees with

Keep In Line!

instruct their employees to serve i sioner. This morning I was in one of the big stores at the meat counter | waiting to be served. Before me were two European ladies and where my turn came another European woman, who came is after I clid, claimed that she was first and was therefore first. The man serving must have known who was there Airst, but was evidently afraid to offend a foreign customer. could have argued and ansisted but having wested some tope in waiting I had no wish to include

In a Billingsgate organient, In other countries everyone would take his or her place in the queue, and anyone trying to "pinch" another's place would be but so for haven't decided," firmly and politely told by the butcher or grozer to wait, but in Hong Kong It seems a European skin and a loud voice will get

priority.

True Colours

Sir,--Mr. Charles Loseby rewealed bimself in his true colours when he described my letter as political and dangerous. Anyone who knows simple English can understand it was only a discussion of hotel rates' control, and unbridied criticism of any Government set by a section of the excluding our leading

paper, the "China Mall." My statement admirable governdemocratic to a fault, I submit, at its worst could only 'imply a juridical or legislative matter, certainly not political. Dangerous is he who distorts the servations about Hong Kong truth and innocent articulations rather carefully to themselves, into something hideous and "very, here are a few which escaped: very wrong,"

ang what it is, the King's repre- of the French." The girls are sentative rarely rets what he decidedly attractive and "many wants in good legislation. I sub- seem to have been influenced mit, only a perverse nature can considerably by the United Interpret in a letter on a certain States." topic, inferences sinister and noll-

the discredit of others. His unfounded accusations with- afterwards—a fine idea, which out a semblance of truth are un- we'll take home with us." othical in journalism and legally "vexatious and irrelevant," hence

inadmissible. I finally submit that to repriwithout Mala Fides, paid a tribute to a representative of the King, is both un-British and sheer imper-

H. M. SILVA

WONDER SPRAY

when diluted I to 400 parts of water kills chewing and sucking insects on plants directly or when they bite them.

Tested and approved by leading greenhouse operators Preminger and Mr. Dunne have and growers all over U.S.A.

To be used in conjunction for the movie go ahead, it may with an Atomical Sprayer.

Obtainable from

RELY CHEMICALS, 506 National Bank Bldg. Tel. 25865.

too much acid in the stomath. Phillips Milk of Magnesia

es the ideal antacid for such ailments. Phillips quickly

moutralizes the excess acids in your stomach ...

makes you feel comfortable again. Coutions

Mr. Preminger and Mr | Twenty-six people perished in Philip Dunne, the writer ne- the crash of the Catalina flyingcompanying him, visited Macao boat near Macao on July 16 last and Canton recently. Either | year. The twin-engined plane. owned by Cathay Pacific Airlines, had been chartered by the Macao

> Thight from Macao to Hong Kong. When the plane was a few minutes out from Macao, four armed thugs attempted to force the pilot to bring down the plane and when they met resistance hot the pilot, sending the plane rashing into the sea. The sole survivor, Wong Yu, aged 24, who former from a village near Macao and confessed to being an accomplice to the crime, is still being held in Macao. No trial has taken place yet.

Mr. Preminger sald that Sir .- It would be a good idea if and Mr. Dunne had not talked shaps in Hong Kong would have to Wong Yu, nor to Mr. L.A.M. some system of queueing, and to Paletti, Macao Police Commis-He said, however that they had read the accounts of the serash in the files of local

Leaving For Shanghai

The Vienna-born producerdirector expects to leave for Shanghal next Wednesday, After short visit there, he and Mr

Mr. Preminger and Mr. Dunne are interested in using Hong Kong as a background for movie about the inter-play of Eastern and Western ideologies,

any local people to take part in the picture, Mr. Preminger rephed; "I've seen lots I could use, decided finally whether the hero a white blousette. Her hat was and beroine would be Americans, soft blue felt with a small veil las originally suggested,

If all goes well, however, he side. Black accessories and and Mr. Dunne expect to return corsage of white African dalsies here in the autumn to begin work completed her costume. on the picture. Mr. Preminger said that they would bring some | moss green taffeta gown with actors, technicians and equipment | cutwork trimming on the blouse,

and opinions," he added. Mr. Preminger and Mr. Dunne sundals were of gold kid, hour is devoted to careful observalion. Even a reporter does not l

escape their questions. "After all, we're the reporters and Mr. M. MacDonald, this time," declared Mr. Dunne. "We've come to listen and watch |

Wit And Charm Although they kept their ob-

The Chinese People-"They He also said, human nature be- have all the wit, charm and chie

Food-"Chinese food is wontical, for self-aggrandisement to derful! As good or better than French. And these hot towels

Chopsticks-"Well-" Mr. Preminger said he had collected quite a few grease-spots in the process of learning to wield them, mand a person who innocently, but felt he was making headway now. Mr. Dunne was quite blase: "Oh, I learned back home on

47th Street." Service-"Of course, there's nothing like it in the United

yourself." -speaking from the point of view of Nature's handlwork." Drinking-Here the Chinese seem much wiser than some of their Western friends.

Manners-Watch out again, some of you Westerners! This is the first time . Mr been in the Far East. Both hope It is not their last. If the plans

be only the beginning. "Who knows" remarked Mr Preminger. "It might change our whole lives. We both like Hong Kong so much."

"Yes", agreed Mr. Dunne, " think we'll both return, whether it has anything to do with our work or not."



Luxuriously comfortable

The finest steel wire made in Britain makes the soft, gentle springs of



"Citron" trade mark.

1937 when a Japanese attack v.

Shanghai seemed Imminent, Mr.

Woo decided to set up a factory

in Hong Kong. Despite numer-

ous difficulties, he went abear

with his plan and succeeded in

equipping the new plant with

up-to-date machinery and run-

ning it efficiently along scientific

The Tien-Chu's Hong Kong

factory at No. 72 Pak Tai Street

Kowloon stands on 200,000-

square feet site. It has four de-

partments, making gourmet

alcohol and Chlorine compound.

Tien-Chu products have been

previously displayed in several

exhibitions in Hong Kong and in

VAGRANT

EUROPEAN

58 and of no fixed abode, walked

into the charge room at the Cen-

tral Police Station on Friday

that he was unemployed and

wanted to be sent back to Eng-

Before Mr. F. X. d'Almada at

Central yesterday, Butcher plead-

ed guilty to a charge of being a

vagrant and was ordered to be

detained in the House of Deten-

tion until such time that arrange-

ments could be made to repatriate

He told the Inspector on duty

night and gave himself up.

Samuel Frederick Butcher, aged

the United Kingdom.

Hydrochloric , neid

Wedding At St. John's Cathedral

Miss Stella Gwendolen Boyce and Mr. Basil Johnson were married yesterday afternoon

in St. John's Cathedral. Denn A. P. Rose presided. The bride, who just arrived from England abound the "Corfu" last Monday, was given away by Mr. D. J. Gilmore,

honour and Miss Hazel Sawyer was bridesmald, Mr. Roland Hanking was best man

The bride were a long gown of heavy white sharkskin cut to give Dunne will fly home by way of is waistcoat effect, with pointed bodice and reveres, Her wristlength veil of white tulle with was fastened in a halo of material matching the dress with a gardenia at each side. She had a Asked whether he had selected double strand of pearls and carried a sheaf of white and red

The matron of honour wore a mid-calf length gown of black He said that he had not yet moire with peplumed jacket over and a matching flower on the

The bridesmaid wore a long Her green net gloves matched "We're still collecting ideas the gown. On her head was a plaited yellow creve halo. Her are experts at this. Every waking carried a sheaf of yellow gladioli

and yellow carnations. The ushers were Mr. R. Deas, Mr. G. Mitchell, Mr. A. C. Taylor

ceremony at "Abergeldie", home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gilmore About 75 guests attended. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are

CONCERT AT PENINSULA

honeymooning in Macao.

The Hong Kong Light Orchestra will present its second concert of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Langston, popular music at the Peninsula Mrs. R. Gullestad, Mr. and Mrs. Hotel at 9 p.m. today. for members of the nudlence. A buffet service will also be avail-

CONCERT

A concert of recorded music be presented at Talbot House (Toc H), 50, Macdonnell Road, at 8.30 p.m. today

The programme includes Overture "1812"-Tchaikovsky; Cap-States. You do everything for riccio Espagnole-Rimsky Korsakov; "London" Suite - Eric Hong Kong-"Very beautiful Coates; Symphony in E minor, No. 5 "From the New World"-Dvorak.

> NEW CONSTABLES Three hundred and fifty-two

police constables graduated at the Police Training School yesterday. Mr. D. W. MacIntosh, Commissioner of Police, who officiated at the graduation ceremony, urged the new constables to put their full effort into their duties.

-and cool

BLUMBIOLIAND · LIMITED

At the wedding at St. John's Cathedral yesterday, from left to right: Mr. D.J. Gilmors, Miss Hazel Sawyer, Mr. Basil Johnson (bridegroom), Miss Stella Boyce (bride), Mr. Roland Hanking (best man) and Mrs. D.J. Gilmore (Matron of honour).-"Sunday Hereld" Photo.

Vibro Piling Co's 1948 Net Profit

A net profit of HK\$726,884.49 for the year 1948 was announced at the 14th annual general meeting of the Vibro Piling Company Limited held in York Building yesterday.

Mrs. Gilmore was matron of Major S. M. Churn, who presided, informed the shareholders that the result established an all-time record in the history of the company. Activities were on a scale never before experienced.

> page," said Major Churn, "and other sundry items. contracts undertaken could never have been executed on time had it not been for the very considerable amount of overtime work put in. Your directors feel the greatest credit is due to our technical manager and colleague, Mr. ously under him. I have no giving a total value of \$242,doubt you will fully agree 250.00 with me that the bonus to the

latter has been well earned. at \$213,438.39 includes one more

Departures from the Peninsula Hotel on Friday included Mrs.

A reception was held after the D. M. Guillotte, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bruck, Mr. and Mrs. Abdr-Rahman, Mrs. F. Glasier, Colonel and Mrs. J. D. Clague, Messrs. A. L. Hallan, R. (b) A final dividend of H. Dowell, D. Patterson, and M.

Among the new arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday were Mrs. J. C. Voss, Mrs. G. H. Wilkinson, Major and Mrs. M. Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rosch S. Levitan, A special bar has been arranged Fernandez, F. H. Webben, Tim Chao, J. Wauch, E. A. Couriney, C. Schiff, F. B. Ochlers, F. Breth. W. S. Lacy, W. S. Stocks, G. L. Mowatt, C. Pakenham, A. L. Toberts, S. H. Bown, R.T.W. Nui, G. H. Neintzen and W. J. Holmes.

Miss E. Polm. Miss M., M Holmes, Mrs. A. C. Joiner, Mrs. I. McIntyre, Mr. G. Pickup and Mr. R. Davies left for Amoy, Foochow and Shanghai yesterday by the ss. Yochow.

R. L. Wood, Messrs. C. R. W. Alford, E. S. Courtney, and C. T. Carroll arrived here from Shanghal yesterday by the ss. Hunan.

Reverend Father F. Pinol, O.P. left the Colony yesterday for

Public aubscriptions to the Hong Kong Mr. E.W. Blackmore and Mr. War Memorial Fund received between F.E. d'Almada Remedios (Secre-March & and 11 follow:-AR.P. Survivors: \$ 129.32 Received to March 4, 1949 . . \$1,743,828.80

"Plants had to be moved pile-driving plant, three concrete white-ribbon bowknot trimming from job to job without stop- mixers, three new tubes and Depreciation is at the statutory rate of 10%.

\$402,694.60 have since been reduced by collections to \$351,-361.04, and the balance of \$49,674.02 represents retention money on a completed contract, "On the Habilities side, I need Blackmore, for his organising only draw attention to our inability, and likewise to the creased capital which now stands staff who have worked assidu- at 80,750 shares of \$3.00 each,

"The transfer of \$200,000 plant and machinery reserve is The net plant addition shown expressly for the purpose of rendering unavailable for distribution that portion of our surplus representing the difference between our subscribed capital and

our fixed assets," The following reports and accounts were proposed seconded and unanimously carried: (a) The interim dividend of 75 cent a share

on 64,600 old shares absorbing \$48,450 be confirmed \$1.388 less tax, or \$1.25 net on 64,600 old shares absorbing \$80,750

A dividend of \$1.11 less tax, or \$1.00 net on 16,150 new shares absorbing 16,150 A bonus of \$1.11 less tax, or \$1.00 net on 64,600 old shares absorbing 64;600 A bonus of 55.5 cent less tux, or 50 cent

on 16,150 new shares

The sum of \$200,000 b transferred to plant machinery reserve, (d) There be entried to a new profit and loss account the

absorbing

sum of \$318,564.75. Sir Robert Kotewall was reelected a director on the motion Miss K. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. of Mr. F.E. d'Almada Remedios, seconded by Mr. Lam Shu-chuen and Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews, were re-elected auditors on the motion of Mr. E.W. Blackmore, seconded by Mr. E. J. M. Churn.

Directors present were Major S.M. Churn (Chairman) Mr. J.J. Basto, Sir Robert Kotewall,

Shareholders present were Messrs. E.J.M. Churn, G.A.V. Hall, H.D.S. Page, Lam Shill Chuen and Mrs. Ruby Churn.



Clear Red, Blue Red, Rose Red ... correct for your type...correct for fashion.

BLONDES CLEAR RED No. 1 DLUE RED No. 1 | KOSE RED No. 1 BRUNETTES CLEAR RED No. 3 - BLUE RED No. 5 ROSE KED No. 3 BROWNETTES.. CLEAR RED No. 2 " BLUE RED No. 2 " KOSE RED No. 2 REDHEADS . . . CLEAR RED No. 1 - BLUE RED No. 1 - ROSE RED No. 1





Sale Agents RUTTONJEE & SON

DOWN HOUSE

OBTAINABLE

EVERYWHERE

Use only as directed. You can get Phillips' Mille of Magnesia in the economy bottle size, or/ in the convenient, easy-to-carry tablet form. Liquid or Tablets

PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT

the Chairman, Tender

Board, Colonial Secretariat,

for taking progress photographs of Public Works over

a period up to the 31st March.

be obtained at the Headquar-

ters. Public Works Depart-

ment, Secretariat Building,

ground floor, Lower Albert

V. KENNIFF.

Director of Public Works.

The Tradition of European

The second in the series of

illustrated lectures by the Rev.

given in the P.R.O. Lecture

Room tomorrow, Monday, 14th

Britain and the Dominions

tures by Mr. Brook Bernacchi

will be given in the Club Lusi-

tano, No. 16, Ice House Street,

on Tuesday, 15th March, at 6

THE DIOCESAN

SCHOOL OLD BOYS'

ASSOCIATION

The Annual General Meeting

and Dinner of the Association

will be held on Sunday, 27th

March, 1949 at the Chinese

Club, Bank of Canton Building.

All members of the Associa-

A. E. PERRY.

Hon. Secretary,

Gande, Price & Co., Ltd.,

St. George's Building.

tion and all old boys are 're-

quested to attend. Tickets for

the Dinner can be obtained

and Dinner at 8 p.m.

Fr. T. F. Ryan, S.J., will

March, at 5,30 p.m.

Statue Square,

Hong Kong,

part of any tender.

March 11, 1949.

Road.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

20 Words \$2 for 1 insertion \$1 for every additional insertion 10 cents every additional word per insertion (Alternate Insertions 10% Extra)

BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, PERSONAL \$5 per insertion of 25 words. 25 cents every additional word per insertion. Classified Advertisements, accepted up to 5 p.m. for publication

in the following day's paper. Replies for the Following Box Nos, are awaiting collection.

Nos. 774, 778. Replies will be forwarded to the Advertiser if requested on the original form which should bear their name and address.

A aultable announcement will be inserted Free of Charge If Advertisers' requirements are satisfactorily answered.

FOR SALE

in the Colony. NOW ON BALE

at all leading book shops and

THEATRE NEWS at 50 cents per

copy. Obtainable at Leading

and "China Mail" Office.

Book Stores, Newspaper Sellers

CHINA MAIL POSTCARD-\$1.50

fór 5 or 30 cents each. Obtainable

at all leading Book Stores and

Four auction sales of Crown

Land will be held at P.W.D.

Headquarters on Monday, the

28th day of March, 1949 at 3

The 4 areas which comprise

30,690, 20,000, 19,130 and 23,100

square feet respectively are

situated at Island Road near

Deep Water Bay and are suit-

Further particulars are avail-

V. KENNIFF

able from the Government

able, for residential purposes.

cev Office.

"China Mall" Office.

"China Mall" office.

Mall" Office.

POSITION WANTED

EXCELLENT cook-boy, over ten HONG , KONG , \$ DIRECTORY (1949 -edition)- containing Hong years experience; seeks position. Able to speak and write simple List, Govt. Offices, Hospitals, Schools, Churches, institutes, English, Good in pastry, baking, Consulates, Services, Chinese dishes. Honest and hard-Agencies, Who's Who, Residences working, Write Box 781 "China It's the most up-to-date and most Mail". complete of all business directories

POSITIONS VACANT

WANTED: British or American accountant. Chartered accountant HONG KONG FILM AND preferred. Apply by letter giving complete details to P.O. Box 539.

WANTED: British or American as office manager and salesman. Imports and Exports, principally engineering equipment and suppilles. Apply by Jetter to PO. Dox 539.

WANTED KNOWN

RUGS Manufacturers and Exporters Peking and Tientsin Car. SCRIBBLING PADS--100 pages pets and Rugs. Poking Art Rug at 60 cents each. On sale at Company Room No. 8-9 Lucky "China Mall" office. Windsor cerned, and it is, therefore Apartment, corner of Hankow House, Tel. 32312. and Peking Road, Kowloon.

CARPETS & RUGS,-Genuine Peking and Tientain, lovely deaigns and colourings, various sizes. Come and Inspect at The China SALES OF CROWN LAND Rug Co., Kayamally Building, 4th Floor (Opposite Hong Kong Hotel). Queen's Road, Central.

CLASSIFIED **ADVERTISEMENTS**

1AT BE BOOKED AT THE AWINDON BOOK STORE, 27 JAPHAN ROAD TEL 59327

INDIES we have at your service pil specialized operations for refere Curtisa cool vinves machinetess of perms, hairdyes & manuage HOSE MARIE Beauty March 9, 1949. Partour -- Phone 50384-43, Han

WANTED

GOOD HOME WANTED for Kits "China Mall"

row Pa., Kawtoon,

PREMISES WANTED

FOR EAMILY of seven in good locality Kowlodn, Willing to my high rental but no key money or other fee. Please write Box No. 778 "China Mail".

TUITION WANTED

YOUNG refined lady wishes to take English and Typewriting lessons. In exchange offers Russian lessions or to take care of children or a house. Write box 780 "China Mail".

DANCING LESSONS

BALLROOM DANCING-"Made Easy" for you. "LATEST VARIATIONS". Specialities Rhumba, Samba, Tango, Jitterbug. (Enquiries 1-8 PM)-TONY HUDSON, 512 China Building.

FOR SALE

TENDERS are invited for the sale of approximately 15 tons 18 gauge drum scrap. Offers A. E. B. de Sousa, Auctioneer. Hong Kong, March 9, 1949. trict Manager, The Texas Company, (China) Ltd., 14, Queen's Road, not later than | March 21, Basement, French Bank Bldg.

PILOT RADIOS: Bame reliable pre-war quality now. obtainable at popular prices, made possible only by increased demand and large sales. World Reception Models from \$190 each. Obtainable, at all the better dealers or direct from: Colonial Agencies, Tackoochoy Bldg., 14 Quan's Road, Phone 20310.

STANDARD Eight Saloon, 9900 miles, good scondition, sale. \$9,500 or . nonrest Reply P.O. Box 72.

NOTICE

We beg to announce that two Godown Warrants covering the following cargo:-

Y.T.H. 1/800-800 Pails Dyestuffs Stored in Kowloon Godown No. 2 under Lot No. K36232

Y.T.H. 801/850-50 Drums Coal Tar Dyes-Stored in Kowloon Godown No. 25 under Lot No. K37693

were issued by The Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown showing that they have de-Co., Ltd., have been lost between Nanking & Shanghai on Prince's Building, the sum of the 20th February, 1949. We have reported this loss to the fide of their tenders which sum parties concerned, and it is, therefore, declared that the said documents will be con- or refuses to implement his

> . YUEN TAI HSIANG | derers. CO., LTD., Hongkong Branch.

Hong Kong, March 10, 1949.

NOTICE

We beg to announce that one Delivery Order No. 66 covering the following cargo: -

CHINA MAIL PICTORIAL AL H.T.H. \$2.00 per copy. Obtainable at all Leading Book Stores and "China 241/250-10 Barrels Dyestuffs 251/265-12 - do -

266/268 - 3

were issued by Messrs. Jebsen & Co. Dated 4th July, 1947, THE BRITISH COUNCIL have been lost between Nanking & Shanghai on the 20th Feb., 1949. We have reported Painting No. 2-Italian Paintthis loss to the parties con- ing of the Renaissance, declared that the said document will be considered as null and

- do -

HSIEH TAI HUNG CO., LTD.,

Hongkong Branch. Hong Kong, March 10, 1949.

F. L. SILVA & CO.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, have been admitted as a member of the H.K. Stock Exchange Ltd., and am continuing my late father's business as a stock, share and general broker.

Gazette of 11.3.49 and 18.3.49 or Mr. Solomon Saul will confrom the Crown Lands and Surtinue to act as my authorized

Director of Public Works. Tel: 27453. F. A. SILVA.

NOTICE

MARLBURIAN CLUB

Marlburian dinner at the Hong-

kong Club on Friday, 8th April,

able to attend.

hal Bank.

It is proposed to hold an Old

Please forward your names

with houses and dates to T. G.?

Mead, C/o Hongkong & Shang-

O.M.'s in the Colony will be mittee.

The wonderful treatment for

Beten's Beauty Salons

Expert Ladies' & Gentlemen's Hair Dressers. Main Shop:

tens Picase reply Box' 779 any scalp allments, and a special remedy for the cure of thin falling hair, baldness and premature greyness, dandruff.

PARKER HERBEX

Exchange Bldg., H.K. Tel. 33161 Branch Shop: Peninsula Arrade. Tel. 58081.

CUTLER HAMMER

MOTOR CONTROL

ELECTRICAL

CONTROL EQUIPMENT

FOR INDUSTRY

E. M. SQUIRE

304 National Bank Bidg.

Tol: 20651.

Service Auction Rooms

Auctioneers, Surveyors, etc.

· Telephone 31867.

LAMMERT BROS.

Auctioneers, Surveyors

and Appraisers,

Pedder Building.

Telephone No. 20224.

CH

THE BANK OF CANTON, LTD.

1949, and it is hoped that all from members of the Com-

Ordinary Yearly General Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the ordinary yearly general meeting of shareholders of the company will be held at the Head Office of the company, 6, Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 23rd March, 1949 at 3.00 p.m. for the purpose of receiving and considering the reports of the Directors and of the Auditors and the Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st. December, 1948 and for the appointment of Directors and Auditors and declaration of dividends.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from the 15th day of March to 23rd March, 1949 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares will be registered.

> By order of the Board, D. S. YUAN. Chief Manager.

HING JEWELLERY Wholesalers of GUT-DIAMONDS

Sole Agents for Liberty Diamond Cutting Works (Pty) Ltd

Johannesburg, South Africa. Bank of East Asia Bidg.

7th Floor, Room 707. Telephone 21885. Hong Kong.

URBAN COUNCIL NOTICE

1. It is hereby notified that sealed tenders, in duplicate which should be clearly marked "Tender for the erection of It is hereby notified that tents and the hire of pleasure boats on Beach" will sealed tenders in duplicate, be received by the Chairman, Tender Board, Colonial Secrewhich should be clearly marktariat, until noon on Friday, the 18th March, 1949... ed. "Tender for Photographs" will be received at the office

2. Tenders are invited for monthly rentals for the right to occupy certain areas on the following beaches and to erect tents thereon for hire to the public by the hour or by the Lower Albert Road, until noon on Friday, 25th March, 1949, day and in respect of Repulse Bay and Stanley for the right to hire pleasure boats, for the period 1st April, 1949 to 30th November, 1949:-

Appreximate Appreximate

3	Tenderers must attach to each tender a Deposit Receipt showing that they have de-	Beach	Area of Bites.	Number of Tents.	to be maintained for hire,
	posited at the Treasury, Prince's Building, the sum of \$50.00 as a pledge of the bona	Repulse Bay (Main Beach) (Inpluding hire of boats on Middle Bay)	Bite A-14,000 eq. ft.		Repulse Bay—2 Middle Bay—
-	fide of their tenders which sum will be forfeited to the Crown if the successful tenderer fails,	Repulse Bay (Main Beach) .(Including hire of boats on South Bay)	'Bite B-14,000 sq. ft.		Repulse Bay
	or refuses to implement his	Stanley (Main Beach,	8lte A-7,000		. 3
	returned to unsuccessful ten-	Stanley (Main Beach,	8ita B-7,000 sq. ft.	20	3
,	Forms of tender, specifica- tion and other particulars may	Big Wave Bay	Whole Beach	50	NII.

Plans of the above beaches, showing these sites, may be seen in the office of the Secretary, Urban Council.

Tents must be of an approved type, dimensions not less than 7 feet long, 7 feet wide, 7 feet high, with an awning in front at least 5 feet long. The Government does not

4. Each tent to be provided with table, two deck chairs, bind itself to accept the lowgrass mat and fresh water (if available) at no extra cost. est or any tender and reserves 5. The following maximum charges to be paid by the the right to accept all or any public will be followed:-

For the Hire of Tents.

1	Repulse Ba	У	
			Wave Bay
	For a period not exceeding 2 hours\$2.0	0	\$3.00
	Exceeding 2 hours but not exceeding 3 hours \$3.0	0	\$4.00
	Exceeding 3 hours but not exceeding 4 hours\$4.0	0	\$5.00
	Exceeding 4 hours but not exceeding 5 hours	0	\$6.00
	Exceeding 5 hours \$7.0	0	·\$8.00

For the Hire of Pleasure Boats.

For a period not exceeding 1 hour \$2.00 For every subsequent hour or portion of an hour \$1.00 6. The tender price should include the provision of a tent for the permanent use of the Government Beach Overseer

7. The contract in respect of Repulse Bay will contain a proviso that should the Government Pavilions be constructed during the season no claim can be made for refund or reduction The last in the series of lecof the rental of the contract.

8. No tender will considered, unless the person tendering attaches thereto a receipt to the effect that he has deposited with the Treasury, Prince's Building, the sum of \$250.00 in respect of each application as a pledge of the bona fides of his tender, which sum shall be forfeited to the Government if such person fails or refuses to carry out his tender, should such tender be accepted. Déposits will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

9. The successful tenderer will be required to sign a formal contract containing conditions to be prescribed by the Urban Council, and also to deposit with the Treasury a sum equivalent to one month's rent as security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

10. For full particulars and forms of tender apply at the office of the Secretary, Urban Council, Post Office Building,

11. The Government does not bind itself to accept the

highest or any tender. 12. During the period of the contract no other person will be allowed to erect tents on any of the above beaches.

N. B. M. WHITLEY, Secretary, Urban Council.

Annual Meeting at 7.00 p.m. March 11, 1949.

Waterfall Bay Beach.

and/or Inspector.

URBAN COUNCIL NOTICE

1. It is hereby notified that sealed tenders, in duplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for the Sale of Aerated Waters, on the Island Beaches" will be received by the Chairman, Tender Board, Colonial Secretariat, until noon on Friday, 18th March, 1949.

2. Tenders are invited for the sale of Aerated Waters to the public on one or more of the following beaches, for the period 1st April, 1949, to 30th November, 1949.

No. of Structures.

Repulse Bay (Main Beach)-North West end. Repulse Bay (Main Beach)-South East end. South Bay Beach. Middle Bay Beach. Stanley Beach (Stanley Bay) Stanley (Main Beach, Tytam Bay) Island Bay Beach (Shek-O)-East end. Island Bay Beach (Shek-O)-West end, Big Wave Bay Beach. Deep Water Bay Beach,

Little Taihowan Bay Beach (Telegraph Bay)

. . 3. The successful tenderers will be required at their own expense to erect structures of an approved type on sites indicated by the Urban Council.

4. No tender will be considered, unless the person tendering attaches thereto a receipt to the effect that he has deposited with the Treasury, Prince's Building, the sum of \$100 as a pledge of the bona fides of his tender, which sum shall be forfeited to the Government if such person fails or refuses to carry out his tender, should such tender be accepted. Deposits will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

5. The successful tenderar will be required to sign a formal contract containing conditions to be prescribed by the Urban Council, and also to deposit with the Treasury a sum equivalent to one month's rent as security for the due fulfilment, of the contract,

6. For full particulars and forms of tender, application should be made to the Secretary, Urban Council, Post Office Building, top floor.

- 7. The Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender. 8. During the period of the contract no other person, other than licensed restourants, will be allowed to sell Acrat-

ed Waters on any of the above beaches. N. B. M. WHITLEY. Secretary, Urban Council.

March 11, 1949.

EXCURSIONS

JAPAN

INCLUSIVE RATE \$2,200

Necessary

Number of

Only Valid Passport

WEEKLY SERVICE

For Particulars & details consult-

CHINA TRAVEL SERVICE

THE BIGGEST & LEADING TRAVEL AGENCY IN CHINA

KAI MING BUILDING. (First Floor) 6, Queen's Road, C. Tels. 21826 & 31116.

> **FAITH SHOES** ARE THE BEST Repairs

> > Experts.

Done By

Orders Taken. **FAITH SHOES FACTORY** 20, Wyndham Street. Tel. 28533



38 Queen's Rd., C. Tel. 27334 Opp. Queen's Theatre

GRAND & UPRIGHT PIANOS IRIN Phone: 20429 THE NEW MINIATURE
SONOTONE "900". Again
Sonotone is entstanding! Tiny,
beautiful batteries inside, Nearly

as easy to want as a wristwatch ... yet with great hearing case! four hearing deserve SCROTONE CONSULT:

ED-LAMB

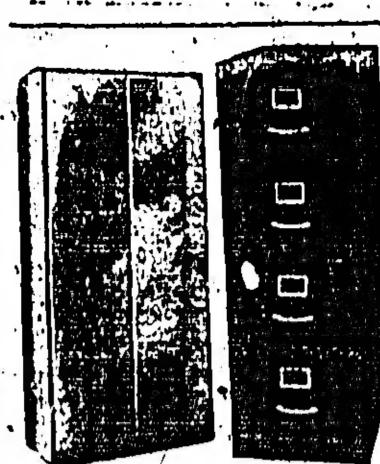
林益 300 Tan Koo Choy Bldg. 12 Queen's Rd. C., Tel. 33486.

Factory Rebuilt. Standard Typewriters, Calculators. With nice appearance and good operation. Obtainable at The WORLD Typewriter Co. 45 Wellington Street, Tel. 20506

GRAMOPHONE & RECORDS MUSIC & MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Law Jim Kee Music Co.

77, Des Youx Road, C. Tel. 33830



BRITISH STEEL OFFICE CUP-BOARDS & FILING CABINETS AT NEW LOW PRICES! CATHAY TRADING CO. 316 Bank of Canton Building.

BISCUITS...



Varieties

Also Other

Sole Agenta: DENNIS & CO., LTD.

印門金 所刷 For QUALITY PRINTING With **Entire Satisfaction** Call at

PRINTING PRESS 44 D'Agullar Street, Central, Telephone 83435

THE GOLDEN GATE

ATOMICAL SPRAYER Most effective for spraying DDT solutions, disinfectants, insecticides, fertilizers, &c. and for cleaning motor vehicles, firefighting, whitewashing, pumping water out of boat bilges, &c.

For particulars or demonstration apply to RELY CHEMICALS

506 National Bank Bldg. Tel. 25865.

SERVICE TO OFFER

DENNIS & CO., LTD.

(White Anta Extermination Dept.) Offers service in White Ants Treatment, Just make a call on the telephone and our Technician will be at your service for Free Inspection.

TEL8: 32913 A 83324.

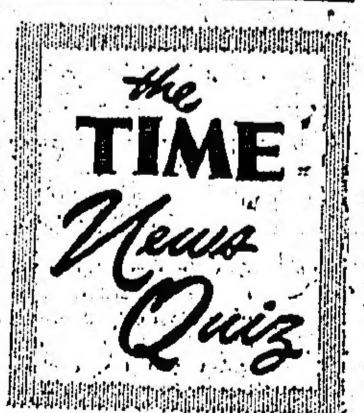
Men Made Younger By Treating Gland

Geiting up nights, burning sensation of organs, whitish discharge, duli ache at base of spine, groin and leg pains, nervousness, weakness and loss of manly vigour are caused by a disease of the Prostate Gland (a most important sex gland in men). To overcome these troubles in \$4 hours and quickly restore vigour and health, take the new scientific discovery called sesses. No matter how long you have surfered sesses is guaranteed to set you right, reinvigorate your Prostate Gland and make you feel 10 to 20 years younger or money back. Got sesses from your chemist. The guarantee protects you.

FOR ALL PROPERTY AND LAND MATTERS

consult STALEY REALTY CO., 115, Queen's Building.

DON'T MISS IT!



IN TIME FOR MARCH ?

NOW ON SALE

JANUARY (December 21-January 10)-Much correspondence about an important business arrangement in next few days. Most propitious week in which to outline plans for rest of year and detail fixtures for next eight weeks. Sunday and Monday propitious for financial matters and Thursday probably the most promising day for general husiness. Beware personal clashes Saturday.

February 18)—Impossible postpone financial decisions be- weekend, likelihood of a Journey tween the next few days. Some or much entertaining. question of an old debt or longstanding lease comes up on Monday. Best policy would be to cut your losses, take what you can commitments of any kind or get and start out on something yield to prejudice about new ac-

a critical stage in some im- the best day of the seven for on edge, portant relationship or make a link-up that is fated to endure or some line. Most of the week's excitement will develop Sunday, and Monday; end of

APRIL (March 21-April 20) Wednesday, Preenutions against health upsets will be necessary in next few though, until end of week.

MAY (April 21-May 20)-Some speculative scheme likely to fall through in next few days but as compensation you revive a useful friendship or business association. A disturbing week for social climbers but last few have the best of today's inconditions and happy times.

JUNE (May 21-June 20)-Go all out on new ideas and fresh associations this week, Duil blue, 8, Jude, Difficult to slinke quite free of present restrictions, but the more you assert your own point of view the better. Thursday likely to be your most generally propillous day,

JULY (June 21. July 20) -Be careful about new contracts or have far-reaching results until fingers this morning. Nevertheless ture this week. Easy to run into complications and find later that take up a new job or start on or for sorting out routine pro-

AUGUST. (July 21-August 21)-A good deal of care necessary about finance and family reshuffles this week. Old debts may have to be settled at short notice with cramping results on new enterprises Nevertheless good week for special business "drive" or for tackling a new

Keep Your Hair BEAUTY



Try our "COLD WAVE"

The Latest & Simplest Hair Curving System

MORE NATURAL! MORE BEAUTY

No heating discomfort No Apparatus used

ENTIRELY SCIENTIFIC

Visit our New & Modern Ladies' Beauty Parlour Today

SHANGHAI HAIRDRESSING SALON,

186, Nathan Rd. (Corner of Austin Rd.) Kowloon.

III SINS By R.H. Naylor

SEPTEMBER (August 22-September 22)-Don't be overcautions it will pay to take risks, FEBRUARY (January 20. deal with comparative strangers to first half of week. Towards next

> OCTOBER (September 23. October 23)-Don't rush into quaintances. Towards end of week your judgement will be financial good fortune. But July, DAY WEAR OR USE: Leaf, your arrangements accordingly. Just before Christmas. anything that matters.

clashes with staff. Personal of be forced this week, particularly deal in hand, fairs and new schemes not likely if business changes have been to develop as you would wish, under discussion. Though a break with present conditions may be unwelcome, it should be profitable in the end. Be careful what you spend or what promises you make on Wednesday.

SUNDAY, MARCH 13-FOR MOST OF US: Stay-at-homes days should bring easier domestic bluences, if traveiling, start in r good time and be prepared for some unexpected delays. A good day for family gatherings, FOR LUCK TODAY WEAR OR USE:

> BIRTHDAY FORECAST -- YOU need to pick your way with care through 1949 problems. Much depends on what you decide and on how you act during the coming 12 months. Decision made year for doing either; projects Bloodstone. launched during 1949 will run a slow but stendily successful

overcome that lack of concentration which is found in many Sun-Pisceans, For once you will know exactly where you want to tent with your present existence, go and, although the first steps towards your goal may be arsuccess are thoroughly sound Don't attempt to move house un- be suitable for reshuffles. less you are very sure that it! will be a change for the better. cupied about such problems dur- job and present abode.

In spite of yourself you may be life this year, though it looks as time. though you will achieve happlness and follow up new friendcriticism.

MONDAY, MARCH 14-FOR of comfort from an associate MOST OF US: Critical day for some years your senior. There is many people and likelihood of some likelihood, too, of a busiunexpected opposition or criti- ness launched in collaboration cism in any scheme on hand, with someone of this age. Evening hours the most propitious for money making. FOR Wine red 3, Amethyst,

begins an important but some- bring worry and undesired exwhat turbulent year of life. You penses but you can count upon will look back upon 1949 as the loyalty and affection of older marking a turning point in your generation. If single, put marcareer and in your existence riage plans aside until early in generally but is hardly likely 1950. that you will enjoy what changes are impending until some months | WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16after they have come about.

and you will have to be very care to the simplest schemes. Not ful about what you do until late favourable for buying or selling September. After that a more but should prove fortunate for

This is the third of a weekly series of articles by one of the world's foremost experts in predicting the future.

Look for your birth period below and find the general indications for the week. Note that these observations are made according to the Zodiacal Signs and do not exactly coincide with the Calendar Month. For example, January covers December 21st-January 19th.

ing in mental and spiritual

There is happiness ahead too

in personal relationships but they

will not be what you expect.

Configurations this year do not

marriage or important social

link-ups. Instead, you will pro-

bably find comfort in a friend-

ship with someone of unusual

type and out of the ordinary oc-

Don't hesitate to take Don't

purple, 3, Amethyst.

stature.

MARCH (February 19 March clearer and your information August and early September are green, 4, Emerald, 20)-It looks as though you reach mure exact. Friday likely to be likely to find you perplexed and

NOVEMBER (October 24. will probably be heralded by a ments of the use of business an effort to get personal as well family responsibilities. These will November 22) -Some danger that serious quarrel or intense bust- shrewdness won't serve you half us busifiess changes completed press heavily upon you througha former friend may involve you ness rivalry. But although re- as well as the use of your Kun- before Christmas, . It is a good out the year, though you may week, will bring possibility of a in trouble in next few days, shuffles shead may be taken Piscean intuition. If you have vear for marriage if you can get not be able to do much to solve Don't seel impulsively, especially against your will, you can be "hunches", don't hesitate to act it consummated before the end problems until early 1950. over horrowing or lending after assured that financial results will upon them. . . Round about Octo- of 1949. be all that you could wish. You ber such "hunches" will probably will have to be very careless or serve you well. A change of some FRIDAY, MARCH 18-FOR you fall out with an associate of DECEMBER (November 23. very foolish if you do not reach importance - is likely to develop MOST OF US; Easy to sit back many years standing. Also, if days. Also, if employer, beware December 20)—Your hand may your next birthday with a good about that time and you will through life today but it would seems likely that overseas friends

> jealousy and aggressiveness three months of 1949. among fellow workers thwarting your plans the same month, Developments this year will pro- careful about your associates, bubly entail a break with more | Those who seem apparently trustthun one old associate.

will be a time of change. One nected with a recent acquaintance of the family-probably a brother | or stranger. It will be an expenor sister-breaks away or be- sive year unless you are careful, of what beneficial configurations comes estranged. If single, a but the money you lay out this are at work, it is up to you to disappointment connected with Spring should bring in good re- get your plans in order early in an engagement or love affair will suits later. Throughout 1949 you the year and to keep as alert as probably be succeeded by an ad- will be enlarging your interests, possible. ventageous match late in the getting a new angle on life, gain-

TUESDAY, MARCH 15-FOR MOST OF US: Useless being in or moves taken this year will a hurry; most jobs stick to the about 1960.... Don't be in a hurry it good day for clearing up diffitherefore. Think well before you culties left over from last week some course of serious study, blems, FOR LUCK TODAY day likely to bring surprise and Nevertheless, it is a propitious WEAR OR USE: Rose pink, 9,

> BIRTHDAY FORECAST:--A1though you are likely to be in a restless mood and anxious to You should find it easy to break away from your present environment, this is not a propitious year for doing anything of the kind. If you can be conyou will be happier and more prosperous than if you force duous ones, prospects of eventual changes. Not until your 1950 birthday are conditions likely to

A sense of duty will probably You are likely to be much oc- keep you tied to your present ing August and September and people make demands upon you may decide to invest any surplus or you are conscious that you a chance to "make good" this Indeed, women generally bring weapon in the hands of the cash in land or property. If you have responsibilities that it would be a chance to "make good" this Indeed, women generally bring medical profession. cash in land or property. If you have responsibilities that it would year. Not until just before your happiness this year and in more do, don't expect speedy profits be foolish to shelve. But such next birthday are any serious than one instance prove of conalthough the investment, may responsibilities are likely to be problems likely to arise. The siderable help socially. If single

Income should not vary much, forced to take sides in family although you will have to face controversies or be held back the problem of an old debt and from something you want to do persistent outgoings on family by family restriction. Older peo- and household matters. A little ple play an important but not economy early in the year would altogether fortunate part in your save trouble in about six months

Not only older relatives, but ships in spite of opposition and older people generally will be to the fore in 1949. You get some useful backing and a good deal

Throughout the year the family LUCK TODAY WEAR OR USE: and old friends will take up your time and make ever-in-BIRTHDAY FORECAST-Now Young relatives will probably

FOR MOST OF US: Difficult to assess chances of success today Difficult patch begins in June complications likely to creep in tranquil existence sets in and you personal affairs, experimental should have some outstanding lobs, changes. FOR LUCK TO-

FRUITS OF LABOUR

The work of producing

wholosomo, healthy food

is as arduous as it is

vital — but the very

abundance of the good,

lifegiving food you see in

the Dairy Farm is reward

for the care, vigilance

Farm's reputation as the

Colony's Food Suppliors.

organization that

established Dairy

some way revive former asso- idea of what you want to do cintes. It is probable too, that before that. link-ups and investments made before 1939 prove more profit-

take the initial steps before be a pity to waste good influences and interests will have something Christmas. But ordinary rules that prevail this afternoon, to do with your problems. You If an employer, staff problems of conduct are not likely to be Speculative deals might prove are likely to get startling news are likely to intensify about Sep- of much use to you in the situa- unexpectedly successful; bargain- of someone in another country. tember. If employed, allow for tions that arise during the last hunters should do well later it r day, FOR LUCK TODAY WEAR OR USE: Pastal shades, 6, Tur-You should be particularly quoise.

BIRTHDAY FORECAST-Stelworthy are the least likely to be lar influences at work this Changes in your environment In your personal life too, it get some pleasant surprise con- happiness; also for a tendency to ly to bring new hope and new laze and take life as it comes. So if you want to make the most

> Your instinct will be to "muddle through" but this will not be promise conventional or fortunate your career, acquire money in it is still a formidable figure. possibly unexpected ways establish your personal life on a year has been wasted.

Money will come in whether the main method used for treat-TUESDAY, MARCH 17-FOR you make much effort or not but ing tuberculosis is by rest. MOST OF US: First half of day usually propitious for business deals and for interviews. Afternoon and evening hours are likely to bring unforescen hold-ups and difficulties. FOR LUCK TO-DAY WEAR OR USE: Royal ber.

Don't be too slip-shod about on breathing. business affairs: unless you are! Cutting the phrenic nerve! BIRTHDAY FORECAST-Your birthday stars suggest important developments in your career and the whole, you will benefit more side of the chest moving. wordly position throughout 1949, through women than through If you are ambitious, anxious to

prove in the end to have been particularly burdensome in the near future and in September.

| properties in the properties in the properties in the properties in the properties period of the siderable help socially. If single the proving tuberele bacilli for year for get by growing tuberele bacilli for year for a business drive, ting married: If already married. | 13 years and making 230 subyear for a business drive, ting married: If already married, taking a new job, making any there should be an addition to the momentous move would be be- family in the near future and it potency that it could be used tween August and Christmas, will probably be a girl. hesitate to take financial and

physical risks during that FOR MOST OF US: Waste of _ period: you should find time brooding over the week's B.C.G. vaccine, as it is known. that success follows courage- blunders or trying to revive is being undertaken in England ous and bold action, particularly flagging enterprises. Get on the now, if results prove as enduring November and December, next job and make what new couraging here as they - have contacts you can. A good day been elsewhere there is no reason Changes should be profitable, for sport. FOR LUCK TODAY why our figures for the incidence turn to a former residence or in mond.

BIRTHDAY FORECAST- AS this year progresses, it looks as though you will have to make important decision in volving a break with present companions and pressent jun. This particular decision is not likely to be forced upon you until late in the year—possibly about Christmas time-but it would be as well to get a clear

Influences at work favour deable than you could have ex- cidely new schemes and venturesome undertakings. However much you may fear the future Don't hestitate to buy land or it is little use clinging to outproperty in 1949; anything con- worn ties and to a business that nected with such holdings is un- has served its purpose. Be der beneficent stars. At the the courageous and start out or same time visualise a possibility something new: it looks as though of travel late in 1940 and make you will get a chance to do st

Just before your next birthday | You need not worry about what BIRTHDAY FORECAST-Don't ra break is likely with a close money comes in but you should be too anxious to plan about to arractate or you find that you are give a great deal of thought the Changes seems mevitable and 1949. Hard and fast arrange suddenly unpopular, Hence, make existing commitments, old debts

In personal as in business life, 'hing of the future and don't think of the past. It is a good year for marriage, if single, and link-ups generally. helpful. On the other hand, you year make for good fortune and household early in 1950 are like-

THE DOCTOR SAYS:

TB Remains Big Menace

TUBERCULOSIS is still the the wisest policy. During a cause of 24,000 deaths in Britain period from the beginning of every year, and although the October to the beginning of mortality from this disease has December you should be able to been declining ever since 1838, make a sensational progress in when deaths were first registered,

The fact that the death-rate happier footing. But if you has declined so stendily is due to neglect chances during this gradual improvement in the somonth, you will find that the clal and economic conditions of a large part of the population. So far as Britain is concerned

a good deal could be done to This varies from simple conutilise existing good-will and de- Incment to bed to more comvetop business contacts. Specula- plicated ways, such as "artitive luck should be good both in ideal pneumotherax," where a the near future and about Octo- quantity of air is introduced outside the lung. This causes it to collapse and provents movement

careful, employees or associates which supplies the diaphragm are likely to play you false. On is enother way of stopping one

More recently streptomycin has become another powerful

medical profession. And 25 years ago Drs. Calcultures they could so reduce its

for protective inoculation. This work has never been SATURDAY, MARCH 19- fully accepted here.

An investigation into the particularly if they involve a re- WEAR OR USE: Orange, 1, Dia- of tuberculosis should not improve even further.

REFRIGERATED FROM TOP TO BOTTOM!



THE OLDEST MANUFACTURER OF ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION FOR THE HOME.

> Seven Models 41/2 to 11 Cubic feet Five Years Guarantee Immediate delivery

GET THE BEST...YOU PAY NO MORE EXCLUSIVE DISTRIBUTORS

FAR EAST IMPORT AND EXPORT LTD. UNITED DEVELOPMENT CO. LTD.

127 Hongkong Shanghai Bank Bldg. Telephone 82509 SERVICE



FINAL WEEK

THOUSAND OF ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS AWAIT YOUR SELECTION.

ALL to be CLEARED at COMPETITIVE PRICES.

NOTE:-The following 2 Stores are open TODAY for business as usual from 1 to 6.30 p.m.:-CHINA EMPORIUM LTD. THE SINCERE CO., LTD.

CHINA EMPORIUM LTD. THE SINCERE CO., LTD. THE SUN COMPANY, LTD. THE WING ON CO., LTD.

Hong Kong's Leading Chinese Department Stores.



Doing fine on KEPLER' "On the go" all day and growing, too; no wonder children need extra nourishment. Give them 'Kepler' and see how they thrive and gain weight-it is rich in the vitamins their growing bodies need. Its maltyswoot flavour is so pleasant too. Adults will find 'Kepler a roal strengthener in convalescence.

KEPLER. COD LIVER OIL

WITH HALT EXTRACT

A BURROUGHS WELLCOME & CO. PRODUCT Sale Agents in Hong Kong : - IQHN D. HUTCHISON & CO, LTD.

GOODNESS TO THE

SPOONFUL

with the North Atlantic Pact.

Her Foreign Minister, Nec-

meddin Sadak, has had talks on

Foreign Secretary, Ernest Be-

Diplomatic sources disclosed the

participation in a Mediterraneau

The British diplomats said that

Turkey's answer to Russla's in-

quiry was that the proposed Me-

Its object would be to ensure

peace and security in the re

gion. It would not be aimed

They said they doubted whe-

ther. Russia would make the same

ment turned down a request to

enter a new agreement for de-

fending the Dardanelles Straits.

ter direct talks with Turkey:

firstly, to persuade the Ankara

right to construct bases on Tur-

kish soil for defence of the Dar-

danelles: secondly, to amend the

Montreux Convention administer-

'(Britain, France and the United

States at present share in that

control. The U.S. took the place

of Japan when the war ended).

Britain's View

Sadak and Tsaldaris are ex-

pected to meet again soon in

Ankara to continue their talks

on the formation of a Mediter-

ranean pact and on other mat-

Left wing Greek sources in

London reported today that :

talks. The Belgrade Government,

Yugoslav sources scoffed at the

Russia, in 1946, wanted to en-

to take shape.

against' Russia.

ADVANCE BOOKING OFFICE CHINA TRAVEL SERVICE +, QUEEN'S NO. C. BOOKING HOURS 1100 a.m to > 10 p.m. daily

ABRNING SHOW TODAY AT 11.30 A.M. ONLY COLOUR CARTOON PROGRAMME AT REDUCED PRICES

Commencing Today At 2.30, 5.15, 7.15 & 9.20 P.M.





5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.

* FIRST TIME SHOWING IN COLONY SNE OF TOP MUSICAL COMEDY INT OF THE WORLD



* 5 Shows Daily Special at 5.39 p.m. Performance * in Russian Dialogue with English Sub-Title on Films Dialogue in Mandarin. At 12,30, 2,30, 7,30 & 9,30 p.m.

The Most Up-To-Date Theatre On The Mainland

Tel: 50333

2 Mins. From the Yaumati

COMMENCING TODAY AT 2,30, 5,15, FIRST TIME SHOWING IN HONG KONG



SPECIAL MORNING SHOW AT 12.30 p.m. "GREEN DOLPHIN STREET" M-Ci-M Pic. AT REDUCED PRICES

ALSO: 3 STOOGES COMEDY & TECHNICOLOR CARTOON

SHOWING



AT 2.30,

QUEEN'S:- Extra Performance 'HOMECOMING' at 11.30 A.M.

Sometimes When A Man Comes Back There Are Things He Never Talks About!!

LOVE STRIKES TWICE and electrifies the screen!



TODAY'S MORNING SHOWS At the ALHAMBRA 10.30 A.M. PROGRAM OF SOVIET NEWS-Part II INDON:- "TRAVELLING THRU" U.S.S.R." AT REDUCED PRICES

London, March 11. Russia has inquired about Turkoy's interest in a Mediterranean regional defence pact, the British Embassy in Ankara told the Foreign Office today.

This is Radio Hong Kong brondensting on a frequency of 845 kilocycles per second and on 9.52 megacycles per second in the 31 metre band,

H.K.T. 10,30 s.m.-Programme Hummary. 10,31 a.m. New Mayfair Orchestra. 11,00 n.m .- Stelay of the Service from St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon. Prescher, The Rev. J.E. Oglivie

Einseinble. 12,15 p.m . Short Organ Recital by Dr. G. D. Cumbingham. 12 25 p.m .- Interlude. Dany report of the British Embassy in 12:30 p.m.-Sports Results and Programme Bummarr.

2.40 p.m. Light Variety with Freddy Martin and His Orch, and the Four strong disapproval of Turkish Georges Guetary, pact if, and when, the pact begins 1.15 p.m. News, Weather Report and Announcements.

1.25 ping daterlide. Lite p.m. A Popular Concers. 2,00 plan Close Down. 559 p.m ... Programme Summer.

diterranean pact would be defen-6 to pan . Weekly News-Latter, (London 6 15 jum "Band Call" ... BHC Variety Orchestra with Eric Whitley, (Vocal)

6,45 mm . Edmunde Iton and His Rumba 7 66 pinest World News and News Amabile (Landon Relay) 7. th p m - "Looking Ahead" A Review of the Weeks Programmes, (Studio)

7.30 p.m. "Strings with Wings". George Melachrino and His Strings with Marjorie Thomas, (ORBS) 800 p.m. "Prim the Editorials, (London Helnyt #40 per Interlude: F.15 Son - "lake it from Here." don Relay) having been rebuffed so definitely

Adepted for Broadcastles by H. Oldfield Box, (BBCTS) 9 15 pm - Symphony Concert, Bach. Brandenburg, Concerto No. 4 In Major, Busch Chamber Players. Beethuven ... Symphony No. 1 in C Major, Op. 21 .. . BHC Symphony Orchestra, Conducted by Arture

Teacaninh 10,00 p.m.-Radio News Reel, (London 10,05 p.m .- Weather Report.

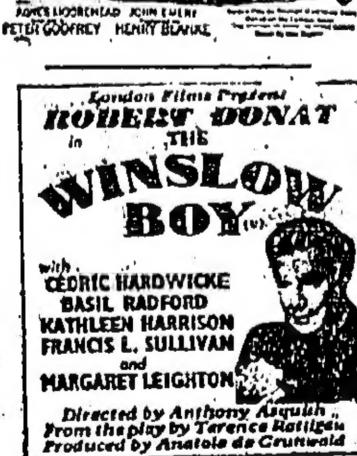
10,16 p.m.-Symphony Concert, (Cont'd) Wagner Die Meletersinger -Overture ... The Landon Philher- ing the strategically vital Darmode Orchestra, Delius, Concerto denelles Straits so that only for Plane and Orchestra ... Benne Black Sea Powers would share in Molselwtich (Plane) and the Phil- its control. harmonic Orchestra cond: by Constant Lambert, Vaughan-Williams. Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallia.... HHC Symphony Orches-

11.00 p.m - Epilogue Conducted by the Rev. Leelie Foot, C.P. (Studio) 11.15 p.m.-Wenther Report and Close

HOLLYWOOD PAIR TO DIVORCE

Hollywood, March 11. The Actor, John Payne, an- Yugoslav leader-Edward Kar-Haven have agreed to divorce. Payne said: The present dis- these sources said, has been inagreement has nothing to do vited to send a representatives. with our work or careers but is apparently due to fundamental report. differences beyond our control", They have two children .- Reuter







Underground Defences For Australia

A special committee is working on plans for bomb-

Bathumt, and later, Melbourne and Sydney. The committee is also considering an elaborate scheme

the subject with Britain's it would be premature. Mr. Bevin is understood to have told graphic control centres. Sadak that Turkish security is vin, the French Foreign Minis- well taken care of under the ter. Robert Schuman, and Con- Anglo-French-Turkish Allianes:

Mediter-

Britain's view on a Mediterran-

ean pact is that at the moment

trine.-Associated Press.

powers to organise a Mediter-

ranean alliance which later could be linked

Foreign Minister, during the by the so-called Trumon Doc-

London, March 12: The Foreign Office asserted today that Greek Communists are planning to set up an Independent

Greek Communist leadership the ever, that Norway gave a similar tach the province of Macedonia pletely independent and equal answer to Russia when the Oslo from Greece--an area whose Macedonian nation within the Government recently received people are 90 per cent Greck, Moscow's offer of a non-agression he said,

The spokesman was making an unsolicited comment on a statekind of offer to Turkey, after ment reported to have been issued by the Greek Communist in 1946 when the Ankara Govern- Party claiming that its policy is land has always been to observe the integrity of Greece's present

He effed as evidence of the Independent Macedonia plan broadcasts made by the Greek rebel radio which, he asserted, Government to give Russia the called for a complete rising of the Macedonian people,

> Vifindes Markos, former leader of the Greek rebels, could possibly be explained by his up "rational" 'spelling "to make willingness to accept the ob- English a world language." jectives of Slav expansionism the spokesman said.

statement saying that the gave this example of the new Greek Communist Party is now system: "Ei bill tu set up ei committed to the partition of komiti tu introdius el rashonal Greece by the incorporation speling widm el view tu meiking of Greek Macedonia into a Inglish ei werld languij." (A'bill Bulgarian, sponsored Popular to set up a committee to intro-Democratic Federation, of the duce a rutional spelling with a Bnikan peoples.

War Risk insurance

The new arrangement applies both to ships in service and those under construction. In the case of ships at sea when war storts, the war risk insurance will end the midnight following their next safe mooring.-Associated Press.

Enosvenor Sa.

Canberra, March 11.

proof underground telephone and telegraph channels between vital Australian points. First bomb-proof channels will probably lie between Sydney and the interior of New South Wales town of

for secret underground tele: phone, exchanges and tele-

It is calculated that the scheme will cost £36,000,000 in the first three years.

IS OUT

A bill to simplify English

spelling was defeated in the

House of Commons today by the

narrow margin of three votes-

The bill would have set up

Spelling would have been near-

Opposing the bill, Sir Alan

view to make English a world

The Minister of Education,

He said Britain can not reform

her spelling when there is no

evidence that in the Common-

wealth, or the United States,

there is any powerful body of opinion likely to persuade their

Governments to follow Brithin's

footsteps.-Reuter.

ly phonetic.

language).

London, March 11.

Macedonia

Macedonia in the Balkans. A spokesman told the daily Front and the Communist Slavonews conference that under Macedonian Organisation. The purported resolution said aggressive intention of the Slavo- in part "NOF will declare the These diplomats recalled, how- Macedonian Movement is to de- Union of Macedonia into a com-

> | Popular Democratic Federation of the Balkan peoples."-Associated PHONETIC SPELLING

The disappearance of General 87 to 84.

The Greek Embassy issued a Herbert, novelist and dramatist.

The statement gave the text of a resolution which, it said, Mr. George Tomlinson, for the he and his keji, who is Vice-Premier and was passed at a recent meeting Gloria de Foreign Minister-may attend the of the Naroden Osvoloditelen

Decision

London, March 11. Lloyds Underwriters have given notice that, effective March 28, war risk insurance on ships will end 48 hours after the outbreak of any war between any of the Big Four. London and Liverpool Marine Insurance companies Joined with Lloyds in the notice published to-

The termination of such insurance is to follow the 48 hours grace in the event of an outbreak of war between any of the Four Great Powers—Britain, United States, France and Russia.

NEXT CHANGE

ROBERT MORLEY

RELEASE House de

17 Hankow Road, Kowloon. FOR 2 DAYS ONLY

Today 4 Shows:—At 12.00, 2.45, 5.30 & 9.00 p.m. Tomorrow 3 Shows:--- At 2.30, 5:30 & 9.00 p.m. FOR THE FIRST TIME IN FULL LENGTH

THE PICTURE OF THE CENTURY FROM 20th CENTURY-FOX

House and Intrigue at Versaillest it's football games and political conventions! It's 12,000 players surging through 200 scenes . . . to the heart best of 87 beloved songs!



Please Note Change of Showing Times. Book Your Seats Early

TAKE ANY EASTERN TRAM CAR OR HAPPY VALLEY BUS SHOWING TODAY at 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.20 p.m.

A BEAUTIFUL BODY SURROUNDED BY STARS SONGS AND LOVE. A GREAT TECHNICOLOR MUSICAL!



SPECIAL MORNING SHOW TODAY at 12.30 (AT REDUCED ADMISSION PRICES) "GREEN DOLPHIN STREET" M.G.M. Picture.

AT 2.30, 5.20, SHOWING DATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR no orchicls for miss blanck h

Next Change-"TARZAN AND THE MERMAID"

SHOWING TODAY



AT 2.30, 5.00, 7.20 and 9.30 P.M.



ADDED: Latest 20th Century-Fox Movietone News

2rue-to-life-Spy Film

TODAY AT

11.30 A.M. ONLY

Stalin Prize Winner U.S.S.R. Production

Willi English & Chinnega Suhallifes At Reduced Prices

• GALA PREMIERE •

Wadnesday, March 16th at 9.30 P.M. Under the Patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Grantham.





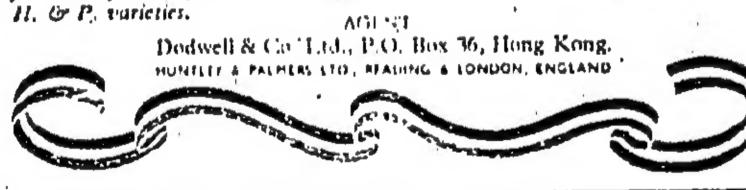
BOOKINGS

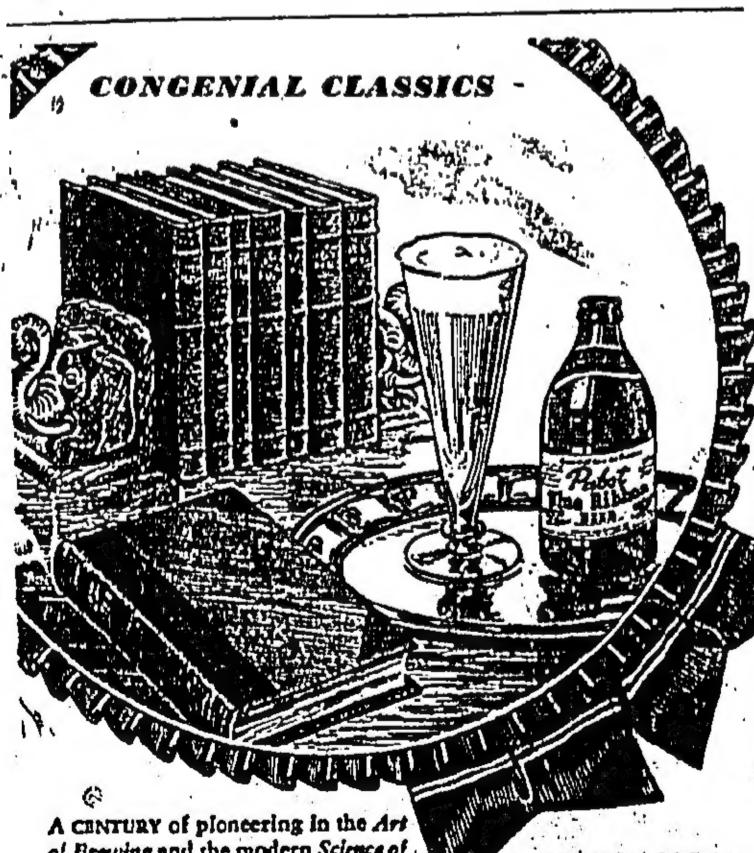
NOW OPENING

at the QUEEN'S



for most of the popular AGUST Dodwell & Co 'Ltd., P.O. Box 36, Hong Kong.





of Brewing and the modern Science of Blending has resulted in this great beer we so proudly distribute - Pabst Blue Ribbon.

BLENDED INTO ONE GREAT BEER

Distributors: DODWELL & CO., LTD. Wines & Spirits Dept., Bldg. Hong Kong. Queen's Bldg.

REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND VALUERS """COME TO US FOR ADVICE" ALL TYPES INDUSTRIAL & DOMESTIC PROPERTIES AVAILABLE King's Building (2nd (loor) 9 Connaught Rd., H.K., Tel. 31255

PATRICK CAMPBELL'S

evening, anxiously waiting for ed. bedtime, when the phone rang. It was an internal call, I live in ling up," he said. largo block of flats.

speak of so highly, bejabers, O'Reilly, but you're

"Who is that, please?" I said. I said he must have the wrong

"What's the difference?" said he valce. "They're only num-We're coming round to see

"You mean," I said, "you're oming here?" "Five minutes," said the voice.

rang. I opened it, and a cheerrace put a bottle of rum into you?" my hand: "O'lastry," he said. "This is

Mis. O'Leary." was in full evening dress. They came in. I happened to ne wearing my pyjamas, not havng believed that this was really phone,

going to happen. "Don't bother to change," said Mrs. O'Leary. "I just slipped into something comfortable," I got some glasses and poured!

out the rum. "I hope you" don't mind my ceiver. isting," I said "but how did you get here?" O'Leary, "Do you want to buy a Seems to be, in a fair way of zine-but we are impeded by the his breast pocket,

I said I'd like to, but hadn't ot enough money. Tell me, are you having a nice "how about bashing round here faced little man. Quick ges- Transport does you proud in the

I don't want to exaggerate this 50t. natter, but we were still there in hour and a half later. It beame quite jolly, Then Mr. O'Leary picked up

he phone. "Give me," he said, "a number. What about 411?"

as an auxiliary force to assist the

The police force is still insuffi-

cient to deal with the needs of the

Colony. Limited funds handicap

further expansion. An organisation

which the shop-keepers have sug-

gested is useful in a number of

ways. Members of such an or-

ganisation will able to be on the

ipot to give assistance in the

event of accidents, robberies, and

When such an organisation is in full swing, it will be able to work

out a system in which protection

an be given to residential areas

We wish to point out that

Government should approve and

Stops should also be taken to re-

tles, operating under innocent

looking titles, opium dens, gam-

bling houses and erndication of

squatter colonies should in addi-

Foreign Shipping

Campaigns against black socie- and Britain.

ACHIEVEMENT!

moves to wipe out crime.

tion be intensified.

THAT

private watchmen by goldsmiths' wishes of the Chinese people. shops, the wave of blackmailing Future Of The War

ileve unemployment in the Colony, more than 5,000,000 in addition to This is one of the foundamental more than 1,000 aircraft, and some

the decision of the Executive Yuan, also inevitable and essential

(Vulcains are obtainable at all dealers) -

Yangtse River.

STARTLING

as well as the business districts.

following the employment

other incidents.

died out.

Ho seemed surprised,

"I know that," I said. "But who? Who lives in 411?" "How do I know?" said Mr. "If you're the O'Heilly they O'Leary, "We have to find out." There was a short pause, , Then Mr. O'Leary spid: "Hallo, hallo, hallo, All well

> He listened for a moment "How can it be a vicing num-



cut looking man with a reddish ber," he said, "If I'm falking to This seemed to heat the sub-

1 scriber at the other end. "Just hold on a second," said Mrs. O'Leary, to my surprise, Mr. O'Leary, "I want to light a cigarette," He did so. "Jolly nice chap," he told us, and returned to the

"Listen!" he said. "You ever been in Johannesburg?" He listened, norlding his head, now and then interjecting "So?" -"Well, imagine!"--"Go on!"

"He's gbt a cousin out there," personally, to have lunch with a Shafterbury-avenue. The theahe told us confidentially. "Nove- man who wants me to write tre crowds, you know." "We live here," said Mr. and-throat man called Roberts, about his steam laundry magu-

> business." I was rigidly certain that I was gernaut traffic.

having a little party. It's Flat "It isn't!" I exclaimed, "That's not the number of this flat!" Mr. O'Leary waved his hand,

returned to the telephone. "See you in five minutes," he said, "Pity you can't bring that cries, "You're an individual,

China's national integrity. Memory their influence,

tries. In past decades, China's selves, They are the elements that

ping is definitely contrary to the seen clearly through the mask of

be completely eradicated,

the imperialists.

the nation.

with failure.

. Taiwan's Troubles

Ta Kung Pas: American im-

ferings will not be forgotten by

of the unequal treaties are still

compradore classes. The Chinese

unequal treaties, the people have

Following the abolition of the

Wen Wei Pao: Because of his

military strength; Chiang Kai-shak

200 warships presented by America

Irrespective of whether final

peace is based on the Tientsin

come the opening of Wuchow to the Liberation Armies is inevitable of liberation from the reactionforeign shipping, Canton shipping and necessary. Eradication of the aries, Whatever they attempt, the merchants are strongly opposed to reactionaries' armed strength is American imperialists will meet

masss reaped no benefit.

fresh in our minds.

course, if he's in Johannesburg [free! Assert yourself!" "Ring- we're snookered." He put the receiver down.

They left at midnight, The "Fleatly, Sweetly, One-twoman with the brother in Johan- three!" nesburg never appeared. Perhops he went to 501.

last Friday, I heard no more of off three cyclists, and all at once the O'Learys.

On Friday I decided I'd ring road, fidence in the number they'd given me, so when a woman's alive again. I've forgotten the voice answered I just sang a sad, regimented creatures on the

When I'd finished, she said captain of my soul, Italio, I'm O'Leary. Who, are

put the telephone down, wedged a chair against the door, and went to bed. This incident, like all the other i

this column, bears the merit of being entirely true. Elice-I ask you, for pity's sake -why write it down at all?

FRIEND IN NEED

keep in a drizzle of rain with 20 ing back again, screaming. One other relies, all worrying about large American car, trying to their wives, and their businesses avoid us, goes clean through the falling to pieces, and their chil- swing doors of an hotel, dren growing up steadily into

He put his hand over the re- juvenile delinquents.

Something plucks my sleeve, I said Mr. O'Leary, lock down, and there is a bright- Traffic Jimp. The Ministry with a cloud of booze? We're tures, Sparkling eyes, "Don't want to stand here all

day!" he chirps. "Why not?" I ask him. Low, hopeless voice. "May as well stand here in the rain. Might "Numbers," he said vaguely. He catch lovely pneumonia and die. It's all right here."

"Nonsenze! Nonsense!"

"What are you doing?" I ask- | cousin of yours along, but, of The captain of your soul. Break He catches me by the arm. "Come - come!"

> We find ourselves in the very Since then, every time the round the front of a bus, sidetelephone rings. I feap, about a step some taxis, sell the dummy foot into the air. But, up till to a Coal Board limousine, hand we're on the other side of the

"How about that?" he says. I'm breathing hard, but I'm

my fetters. I've even forgotter about the steam laundry man She, joined in, humming softly; and his lunch. I am, indeed, the "Could we," I ask the little man, "possibly do it again?"

"Certainly," says he, "hut lef's go to Picendilly, where the cars no really fast, "You'll love it wonderful things that appear in

We spend a gloriously exciting afternoon, walking very slowly along the pavement by the Green Park, and then suddenly shooting diagonally across the road, Say, now, I'm standing on the thinking better of it, and gallop-

"Well," sava the little man, chuckling, "I'll have to leave you We wish to cross the road-I, I now. Have to get along to He makes a gesture towards

> "It's all right," I tell him. "Don't bother about a card, You're knew you well.

The little man nods, beaming and smiling. "I don't know what I'd do, he says, "without them."

What About Jet Bombers?

BY COURTENAY EDWARDS

Jet bombers are not mentioned once in the Defence White Paper, and this surprising omission was widely commented on last night in the R.A.F. and among other aviation experts.

Re-equipment of our fighter Wah Kin Yat Po: The proposal | We sympathise with the ship. If this armed strength is not squadrons with the latest jet airto organise a Self-Defence Corps ping companies in Canton as the wiped out, the peace supporters craft is promised an increasby the shop-keepers in Queen's advantages gained by certain in- and followers in areas under the ing rate," but the reassuring naws Road, Central is a good idea. The terests as a result of the opening administration of the Nanking hoped for regarding our jet organisation of such a body of of the river port cannot balance dictatorship will not be able to bomber programme was not forthmen will be of considerable value the losses that will be suffered to make themselves heard or assert coming.

Bombers, in fact, whether pis-Carrying the revolution to the ton-engined or jet-propelled, are end does not mean that the fighting not referred to at all, and this was It must be realised that the must continue to the end. In the taken in some quarters as indicatlivelihood of the Chinese people reactionary ranks there are some ing a growing reliance on will not be improved by importa- who are able to reform and some United States for the provision of tion of foreign goods. China must who are able to strike out. The this type of warplane. develop her own national indus- others will not exterminate them-

Development of jet bombers is foreign trade benefitted only the have to be wiped out. The armed much more advanced in the U.S. strength of the reactionaries must than in Britain.

At the present rate of progress it will be years before the R.A.F. Prince's Building, gets any British-built, long-range reconstruction under the protection wan. Taiwan is China's Taiwan fet bombers, and there may be some kind of agreement, at a high of our sovereign rights. The step and the Taiwan people are, China's political level, that 'Britain will taken by the Executive Yuan in people, They have suffered for 50 concentrate on fighter developopening Wuchow to foreign ship- years and as a result are able to ment.

This would not mean the aban-Having just -parted ...with the donment of our four-jet | bomber wolf, they will not plunge into the programme, but . might envisage tiger's den. The liberation of a new the equipping of Bomber Com-China is fast being completed. The mand equadrovs with U.S. pistondefence corps as one way of deal- his reactionary dictatorship goving with the problem of robberies. ernment for more than 20 years. 6,000,000 people of Talwan are tories is given to fighter output Staps should also be taken to re- At one time his armies totalled included. Their long enslavement to meet the argent needs of Westunder imperialists and their suf- ern Union defence.

> The White Paper admits that No power on earth can stop them | replacement of the R.A.F.'s trans-Today, although they are more from clasping hands with the port, and training aircraft by or less stragglers, they number people of the entire nation in the modern British types is proceedabout 1,000,000 South of the forward march. No intrigue can ing only gradually. On the question of pay, the Dehalt the surging waves of libera-

fonce Minister - says the Govern-Talwan cannot be separated ment intends that conditions of Sing Tao Jih Pao: Although peace or the Peiping peace, the from China. No power on earth bervice shall "compete on reasoncertain local shipping firms well crossing of the Yangtse River by can do that, Talwan is on the eve ably equal terms with employment

DEP.



- STEEL BEDS
- LAUNGES
- PORCH ARM CHAIRS
- **B SUNTAN COTS**
- BEAUTYREST MATTRESSES
- DEEPSLEEP MATTRESSES BABYBEAUTY MATTRESSES

NEW STOCK TO HAND

INSPECTION WELCOME

THE SINCERE CO., LTD.

FURNISHING DEPT.—THIRD FLOOR.

Emulsion

Malures Own Food Tonio

HE'S NEVER DAY Thanks to Make sure your family enloys the same

vigorous health by giving them Scott's Emulsion before and during Winter. Scatt's is a natural tonic centaining vital elements the body must have Cod Liver Oil, Hypophesphites of Lime and Sode; and Vitamins A and D. Pleasant to take, easily diposted. Gat a bottle today.

Available at all leading Dispensaries.

Sole Agents:-IMPERIAL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES (CHINA) LTD. Telephone 20036 Chater Road,

HOARSENESS! When hoarseness due to a zore threat or cold causes you loss of speech, relieve it promptly with Stearne' Pine Tar and Honey. Also stops coughing, cools and soothes raw. Irritated throat. Pleasant-tasting, Ideal for children. Get a bottle today! ALWAYG STEARMS THUS LABEL LOOK FOR

FOR MONEY TRAVELLERS

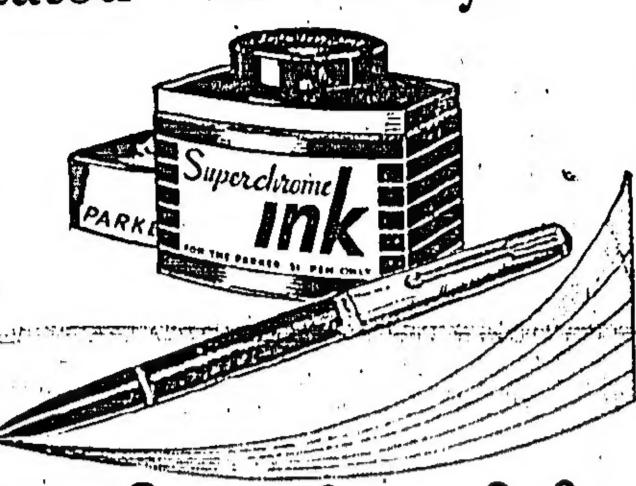
train you must catch-ALL DAY Vulcain Cricket bocauso

SHIPMENT JUST ARRIVED!

on a table, Yulcain Cricket will wake you at the very minute you choose ... set it for a rendezvous, an in-

serves you FOR office fine precision watch from the finest croftsmen in

NEW! The most brilliant permanent ink ever created-writes dry!



Parker Superchrome Ink

SUPER-BRILLIANCE . . . colors up to 60% more brilliant than other inks. SUPER-PERMANENCE... 11 times more resistant to 3 fading, on average, than U. S. Government standards, "PRY-WRITING"... dries up to 3 times faster than ordinary inksl

Prices: Quink UH\$0.25 and UH\$0.35; Superchrome UH\$0.60 THE PARKER PEN COMPANY Taranta

Janeavilla London Canada Who, U.S.A. England



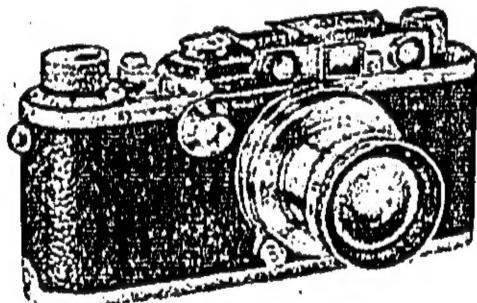
The best dressing for Burns, Scalds, Sores and Wounds is BURNOL, applied freely on gauze or lint to the affected part.



BURNOL

in the Handy Tube. The Proved Germicide

FOTOPRINT



pecialists:-Fine Grain Developing, Printing & Enlarging.

Photographic Supplies

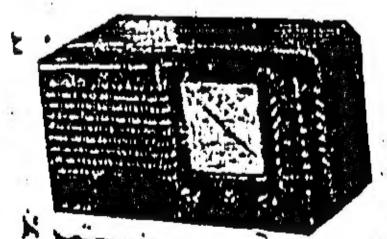
Demonstration at:-

7, D'Aguilar St. Tel. 22919 HONG KONG

9, Middle Rd. KOWLOON

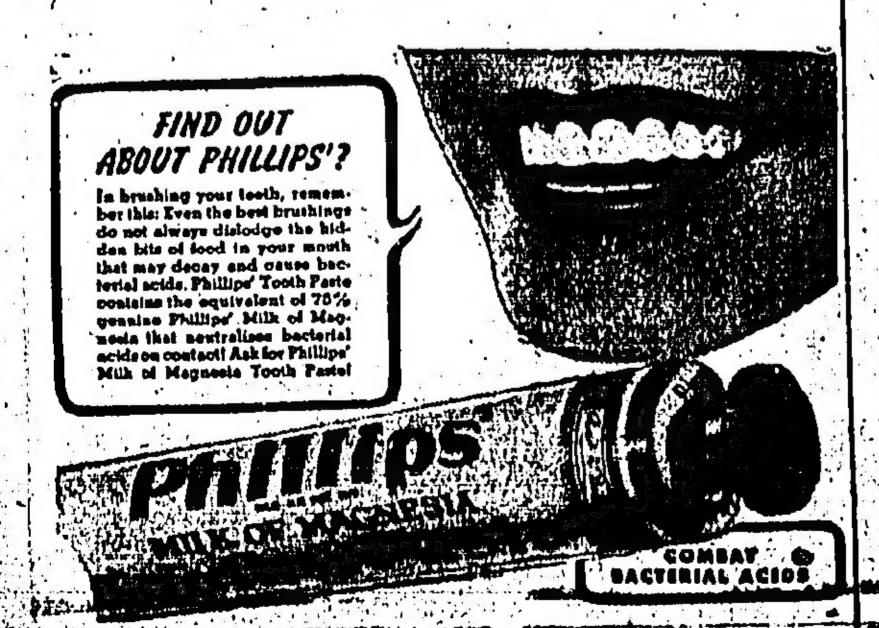


LONDON or U.S.A. Direct!



COLONIAL AGENCIES

Tse Koo Choy Building, 14, Queen's Rd., C. Tel: 26310



REVEALED THIS WEEK

Washington, March 11. Publication of the North Atlantic Pact terms is expected to be postponed until the end of next week at the request of the French Government, which desires further to consider the terms of the pact.

The present plan is for the French Cabinet to consider the pact again on Thursday.

It is proposed that this de-

claration should accompany signing of the pact-fixed for

'It is not proposed that Turkey.

Greece or Persia should become

to the North Atlantic powers.

It is likely therefore that

declaration will be issued, de-

fining the status of assistance to

diplomats of the Eastern Medi-

terranean powers here today ap-

peared to be this: Although they

the North Atlantic Pact, any

such system of security would

be incomplete if it did not in-

Meanwhile, Dr. Gustav Ras-

mussen, Danish Foreign Minis-

ter, conferred with the Secretary

the details of the North Atlantic

Alliance for one hour here today.

told reporters: "Our talks were

an looking forward to having

State before leaving Washing-

Canada Approves

back up the pact was one of

the subjects discussed, but the

question of military bases in

Greenland was not mentioned

"I also tried to explain to the

Secretary of State the political

situation in Denmark to give a

full background on Denmark's

attitude." Asked if relations with

Norway were discussed, he said:

"Yes. We said something on that

Canada has approved the draft

Atlantic Pact and the Canadian

Government has instructed the

Washington to advise the United

States to this effect, it was re-

In giving its approval, Canada

of the longer treaty articles will

ported tonight from Ottawa.

Canadian

Ambassador

He said that military aid to

Afterwards. Dr. Rasmussen

them. The opinion among the

April 4 in Washington.

Other Countries

A further meeting of the Greece and Persia (Iran) by the North Atlantic | Ambassadors United States, Britain and with the Secretary of State France. would then take place at the end of next week. It is not expected that this delay will affect the outcome of the negotintions,-non-that the time table for the signature of the pact in the first week of April will be delayed.

A postponement of the publi- members of the North Atlantic ention of the terms of the pact Union. These countries have, may enable the Italian Ambas- however, already been in receipt sador to take part in at least of military assistance from the one meeting of the North At- United States comparable to that lantic Ambassadors before the which it is proposed to supply final publication of its terms. The most important outstanding matter before the negotiators of the pact is the text of a declaration concerning Turkey.

Actresses In London Divorces

London, March 11. The film actress, Ann Todd, of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, on Star of Alfred Hitchcock's "The Terradine Case", offered no defence in the London Divorce Court today to her husband's lot a preliminary nature and I petition alleging adultery by her with David Lean, a leading other talks with the Secretary of British illm director.

The husband, the author, Nigel Tangye, was granted a decree with rustody of the one child of the marriage, which took place

A decree was also granted to the actress, Kay Walsh, David Lean's wife, on the ground of Mr. Lean's adultery with Ann Todd. David Lenn, director of Noel Coward's "Brief Ehcounter" and Dickens' "Great Expectations" was ordered to pay the cost of both suits. A claim, against him by Mr. Tangve, for \$£40,000 damages, was struck out.-Reuter.

MANOEUVRES IN AIR CORRIDOR

The Russian today notified the reserves the right to make Berlin, March 11. Berlin Air Safety Centre of plans minor changes up to the date of to carry out air manoeuvres in the signature of the Alliance. the Frankfurt corridor used by One Canadian hope is that several Nations in 1946. the Alifed airlift.

The British controller at the thus increasing the number or covery by: Safety Centre lodged a protest articles in the pact without alwith the Russians.-United Press, tering its effect,-Reuter.

Third Death Sentence On **Army Officer**

Paris, March 11. A French officer who deserted his command protecting the French Concession in Tientain, China, in 1940 and fought .with the Germans during the war, has been condemned to death for the third time.

Sabotage In Japanese Economics?

Washington, March 11.

of the SCAP Labour and Educa- other functions than exactly that tion, writing in the magazine of fighting the war." cannot expect to be members of "America", said that the alleged Signor de Gasperi, in his statesabotage caused the removal of ment to Parliament, emphasised price controls, resulting in run- the three main aims of the Pact away inflation, which in turn as: clude consideration of their posi- played directly into the hands of the Communists,

> He said: "Inflation in Japan brought about a small-sized social revolution. Worst of all, it embittered many fine Japanese who three years ago were friends of the Americans. It is no wonder that, when the Japanese have 'nothing to lose but their chains,' the Communist party is on the road to power in Japan.'

> He said that students of history know inflation as well as hunger mid.—United Press.

POLAND

UNITED

Europe set up by the United countries.

Eastern and Western

He accused the United States

1. Attempting to reduce trade

A Salgon (Indo-China) sentence was automatically guashed when he was arrested after the war in France, and another sentence by a Metz tribunal was declared null, and vold,---Reu-

economic programme.

ITALY'S ADHERENCE TO ATLANTIC PACT

Romo, March 1. The Italian Prime Minister, Signor Alcide de Gas-peri, tonight told Parliament that his Cabinet SHUTDOWN had unanimously agreed to adhere to the Atlantic Pact and to take part in the final discussions on its terms.

This agreement was reached at a Cabinet meeting this morning, he said.

Signor de Gasperi said participation does not necessarily mean participation in war.

"If the terrible hypothesis on the security of the participating) war does come true, it is possible | countries," he said. that one of the participating States might have other func- tervention in an armed conflict tions than that of actually waging war." he told Senators and "The pact does not foresee an Intervention." crat Party. .

his statement, but expect that the final stages of the negotia- never worked in the coal mines. the Premier would expand it in tions if the Government has the his speech on Foreign policy.

gives this version of the Pre- lined today can be a decisive 5,515 men killed and injuted in A former SCAP official today mier's reference to Italy's posisaid that certain persons in tion in the event of a war. SCAP Headquarters sabotaged "Participation in the Atlantic General MacArthur's original Pact does not necessarily signify participation in war. Even in case of a war breaking out, one Richard Develall, former chief of the participants might have

Three Aims

Mutual resistance. 2 Consultations among member nations when one is a victim aggression or threatened aggression.

3. In case of an afmed aggression against one member

"We can assure the Chamber the new assemblies in which we and famine, but inflation is also that the pact has been conceived shall enter for a formal revision the mother of revolution. It is the within the framework of the of the peace treaty. most devastating single item, he United Nations as a piedge of solidarity in favour of peace and contingent on satisfaction of our

ACCUSES

STATES

2. Applying in effect embar-

3. Tying Western European

trade to the United States dol-

United States and called on the

Marshall Plan.-United Press.

goes against shipment of neces-

sary goods and materials to Rus-

sia and Eastern bloc countries.

Lake Success, March 11.

Poland today accused the United States in the Unit-

Economic Commission for policy of Western European

operation of the Marshall Plan.

sanctions against Eastern Europe through

Polish delegate, Dr. Europe and applying discrimina-

"In democratic countries, inis linked with Parliament de-

His staff declined to amplify tain to be ediled to take part in the ground that Dr. Boyd has confidence of Parliament. He added: "It is evident that in its ly, the mine workers will mourn

Tacit Pladge

"The pact does not imply anything beyond our defensive capacity, not even that defined in the peace treaty."

The Premier continued: "The pact does not exclude the possibility that a nation not directly menaced by attack might, in the interests of all the other members, be exempt from furnishing on that occasion a contribution to collective defence.

"Except in such a case, the pledge of mutual assistance in case of an attack is tacit. However, the prorogative of Parliament to decide for peace or war is safeguarded.

the others, individually or col- a fatal strategic position for any lectively, would take the neces- possible world conflict, will sary measures to maintain, adopt every means to avoid such a disaster. We shall not ask in

"We cannot make our attitude demands, however legitimate." The Premier said he awaits with confidence the bettering of general international relation. so that their righteous claim such as Trieste, may find peaceful solution.

Nothing Hidden ...

He said the vote on foreign policy would be taken as a vote of confidence in the Governed Nations of applying in effect economic

The Premier was cheered by the Christian Democrats and by some Rightist cold synthetic which makes a Deputies when he sat down. Leaders of al parties pressed Katz-Suchy, said the tory trade and credit measures the Government to disclose the

Marshall Plan is by-passing the to influence internal and foreign text of the pact. The Foreign Minister, Count Carlo Sforza, said there are no secret documents attached to the Atlantic Pact and he is prepared to give the entire Chamber an account of the steps taken by the Govern-

> The Chamber rejected tonight by 311 votes to 165, with Mr. Katz-Suchy introduced a six abstentions, a resolution proresolution condemning the prac- posed by Signor Pietro Nenni, tices with which he charged the whose Socialist Party co-operates with the Communists.

The resolution asked that full instruct the United Nations Eco- details of the Atlantic Pact be nomic Commission for Europe to given to the Chamber's Foreign Pakistan navies. study measures to increase trade Affairs Commission before the between Eastern and Western pact is discussed in the House. Europe as well as between Eu- The defeat of this motion re- for promotion, he added. rope and foreign countries, and presents a victory for the Govalso to study restrictive practices ernment in avoiding postpone- at the 60th anniversary dinner of

l pact.—Reuter.

Mississippi River to stop work for two weeks from March 14 to March 28. Mr. Lewis sald the shut-down is to emphasise the miners' oppositionato the appointment of

Dr. James Boyd as Director of The Premier said Italy is cer- the Federal Bureau of Mines on Mr. Lewis added: "Concurrent-

CALLED

BY LEWIS

Washington, March 11.

Mr. John L. Lewis. Miners'

Union leader, today called on

all coal miners East of tho

The Italian news agency, Ansa, general nature the pact as out- the unnecessary slaughter of safeguard of our independence. the calendar year of 1948, during Mr. Boyd's incumbency of office.

"Meanwhile, the mine workers will pray for rollef from the monstrous and grotesque injustice of an ignorant and incompetent official, Mr. Boyd having the power to decide whether they shall live or continue to dig in the mines."

The projected strike may be designed to improve Mr. Lewis. strategic position when the time comes to negotiate a new contract with the mine owners. The contract ends on June 30.

The present stocks of coal are at the record level of 70 million tons, or roughly 50 days' supply for the country. Dr. Boyd do-"Italy, who is unfortunately in clined to comment on Mr. Lewis' accusations.—Reuter.

The Future Of Synthetics

New York, March 12. The Wall Street Journal this week predicted that synthetic rubber will soon take still more of the market away from natural rubber.

Chemists are guarding their experiments closely, but one of them is a new synthetic with superior flexing properties, important in tyre sidewalls, the Journal said. This development would be comparable with the new better tread substance; the paper

The Journal quoted a leading chemist as saying, "Never again will rubber product manufacturers be dependent on a single general purpose material like natural rubber."-Associated Press.

Vice Admiral Sir Cecil Harcourt, Second Sea Lord and the first post-war Governor of Hong Kong, told a meeting here tonight that British officers are being appointed "to the best of our reg sources" to the Royal Indian and

Service with these forces is to be classed as a first class services The Second Lord was speaking which, he alleged, exist under the ment of a general debate on the the Institute of Marine Engineers.

BAD SELLING will not make a GOOD LIVING!



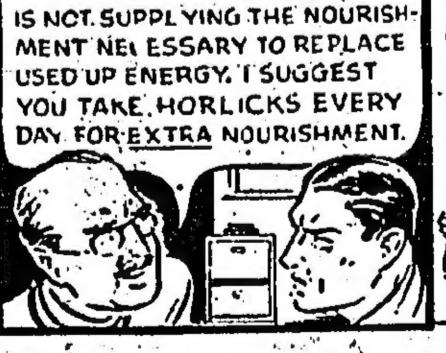


be broken up into shorter ones, of obstructing Europe-wide re-

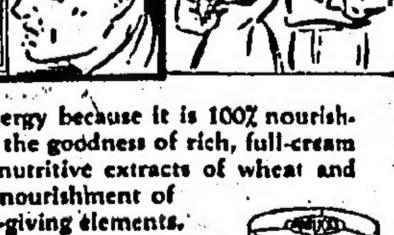








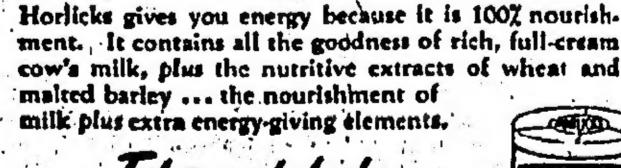
YES, CONSTANT TIREDNESS IS



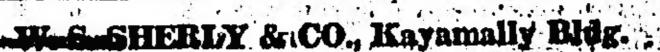
I'M DOING A

LOT BETTER

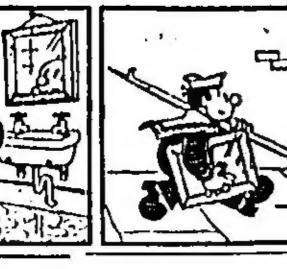
THIS MONTH!

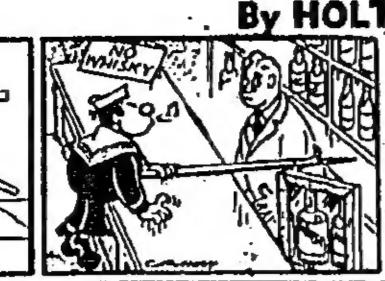












four life and Mine by IRIS ASHLEY Staying in a country house a [women who are good but not Miss Neagle can stand the

few weeks back, we were joined than strugging virtue. She has humour and galety, but no irony. In famine area in this corner of a prosperous Europe. But if the on the Saturday evening by two made the quality of goodness young men who were newly seem plausible and interesting. commissioned officers in the The movie screen, which so glamour without the devil, and

the Aldwych. Theatre the pre- excitement, but we cannot be patronising; sure of herself with- as this runs down slowly. It you Spain imported more cars than vious night, and had discovered altogether fooled by the truth in our vanity; modest but not ner- look at the hotels and streets and she has done in the whole period for themselves an actress of those enormous faces. superlative grace and talent.

heating hearts, they had "discov- last empty head. ered" Gertrude Lawrence

Now it isn't given to every surcessful actress to be the toast of the town for her alkire, grace, and witty charm; and then 12 years later to repeat the phenomenon for the same reasons. True, in the intervening period

she has been knocking them sideways in America; but London is singularly unaffected by New York's theatrical opinions, and vice versa. Audience reaction each side of the Atlantic is particular and individual.

What is there abut Gertie that is so fascinating, apart from her obvious talent? How did she come home and pick up just where she left off?

Some of it is the quality of a charming chameleon, some sheer poise in a world where this grace has almost vanished. For instance, a couple

weeks ago lunch-time at the Savoy Grill found Miss Lawrence, beautifully dressed as always, sitting at a table alone, She remarked that her expecteddate was rather late. Time passed -hut still no one

joined her. Almost any other woman would have kept nervously searching with her eyes, fidgeting in her chair. Not Gertie. Sonn she calmly ordered a lunch and nobody who

did not know could have guessed that she had not meant to be nlone, (Of course, her date was having a fit elsewhere, in the wrong restaurant, having confused the issue!)

Why chameleon? Because her terrific enthusiasms make her assume the colour of wherever or whatever she is at the mopeople. But, like the chameleon, the change is only external.

theatre, and she is known Empire covering 3,000,000 square great trouper; 4 a.m. miles. and a dress rehearsal still dragging on may cause the ladies of the chorus to keel over, but governs Nigeria, in West Africa, with a population of 21,000,000.

woman who can look like a dry ad of the woods while wielding a frying-pan-is it any wonder we ery for more?

The case of Anna Neagle is also intriguing. Neagle, as you know, has recently won the British exhibitors' popularity poll. Miss Neagle is no Bernhardt, neither is she all that beautiful.

But she has achieved the impos-

greatly manificate how manks it is vary comforting facets. We are willing and pay-It, seemed they had been to ing dupes of stories of fabulous players she is co-operative, never visible yet, for a country as, big no solution. In the one year 1935

Casting must be elever to be rather than at them. good. Eyes that cannot hide their She didn't have glamour, she depths by bare before us the is among the few things of its land. was glamour! Bless their little togue, the chariatan, the pretty kind that reflect pleasantly on There is lavish food in the res- it.

Women see in her the embodi- main object is to ruin Spain, good ment of pure romance. Here is progress is being made.

vous. She laughs with people shops of a big Spanish city you since 1940. She is going to try to

the human race.

HIS EXCELLENCY, THE GOVERNOR

By Graham Stanford

the ship that carries him.

When he meets his Parliament he must wear Wellington boots, a cocked hat of pure black silk with a plume of white swan feathers, and carry a sword with a mameluke hilt with an Ivory grip and a seimitar blade. He is called "lils Excellency" by all "who know" and the

National Anthem is played whenever he enters a public assembly. His home is the usually austere Government House over which every day of the year the Union Jack must fly from sun-

Since 1945 more than 25 Governors have been appointed, including an ex-rallway porter, Sir Frederick John Burrows, to Bengel, and a former miner, Sir Gerdon Macdonald, Governor of Newfoundland, who started work in the pits at the age of 13.

Pomp, Pageantry What is a Governor? What are his powers, and what is the pomp and pageantry that surrounds him when-ns in the case service oversens?

Thirty-five British Governors Fundamentally she is always now administer the 62,000,000 true to her first love, the inhabitants of Britain's Colonial

her feet, still amiable too

These endearing qualities come
drifting_at_us_over_the_footilghts,
and when they are allied to a
the numerous visitors to Govern-One of the lowest in the salary list is Mr. George Andrew Joy.

Governor of St. Helena, who earns £1,200, plus £300 al-Lord Baldwin, who prefers his felt hut to feathers, pulls down

4:2,200, with £550 allowance. Virtually King The Governor is virtually king sible! In a succession of films of all he surveys within his on the the whole subject for the she has managed to portray particular Colony.

Britain's 35 Colonial possessions first arrives on the job he's entitled to a 17-gun salute from the ship that carries him. When the Governor of one of In a certain British Colony I work which must drag Spain sources and the situation is like- sent regime is firmly scated, very God I know."

The Governor, in fact, is the four years) at these figures: direct representative of the King; is received by his Majesty country's agriculture and industry to kiss hands before departing these shores to take up his Gov-

Executive Government and his about \$400,000,000. owi, Prime Minister. All power and responsibility industries producing consumer are concentrated in him; every goods-about \$250,000,000 (which,

communication with the Imperial Government The lowest-paid Governor in the smallest British Colony is surrounded by more pomp and eliquette than the President of

the United States. He also has the royal prerogative of mercy; the power to pardon a wrongdoer, which, ironically enough, is more absolute with the Colonial Governor than with the King.

But he is not all powerful. The broad outlines of Colonial policy are determined by Parlinof Lord Baldwin-he takes off ment, and the Governor of each ment. She loves life and loves his demob suit for Government Colony is responsible to the Secretary of State.

Largely Ruled

is largely ruled by 355 Colonial tiliser can Spain buy. For three-Regulations, many of which re- quarters of her exports consist of late to him and the way he agricultural produce.

religion and education among the inhabitants. Every move he makes is

watched and talked about. He has enormous responsibilities, for the rise or fail of British prestige rests with him. Whitchall wonders whether the historic routine of pomp and pageantry can continue to work out in this modern age. Now Mr. Creech Jones, Colonial Secretary, is preparing a report

PROGRESS IS ON THE WAY TO RUIN

needed to modernise the mines.

By Alexander

Clifford

"And motor transport provides

The democratic world's plan 'own fertibles needs—if she could liope Two is American private to punish Spain for having buy the machinery to start the capital.

Franco by making her an land — if she could plough more land — if she could get tractors debt in the world, and her financeonomic outlaw is working and her financeonomic putlaw is working to start the capital.

Plan Ball, is going to rack and

Of course, it will not be Franco and his supporters who suffer. The first victims will be the poor people and the enemies of the re- Report From Spain gime. And it may, in the long run, become inconvenient to have

'As an actress among other The deterioration is not very certainly do not have the impress start her own motor industry --The popularity of Miss Neagle sion of being in a poverty-stricken she has bought the Flat patents.

> taurants at normal European decent bread ration has been to qualify for Marshall Aid by methods). maintained. The killing of cattle abolishing itself—has three hopes owing to the drought gives the of solving this black problem: impression that meat is abundant.

tative calculation outs her minimum needs (spread over the next Specal imports for reviving the

- about \$750,000,000. Special imports of food and fodder necessary to regain the He is the actual head of the normal food-consumption level -Imports of raw materials for

act of Government is done in it is thought, could be obtained his name, and he is the sole through private investment and repaid with exports). No Chance Hope

Those are minimum figures,

based on the assumption that the money would be honestly and efficiently spent (which is exces- development as I have here. sively rare in Spain). What is obvious is that Spain, in the pre- | cindered country (100 degrees in | Auckland, Co. Durham, 35 years sent circumstances, has not the the shade as I write) and just ago on a two-year contract. He faintest hope of getting all those beneath the surface lies, as far loved Queensland and the dollars (her present dollar exports, as has so far been surveyed, warmth. He never returned are worth about \$30,000,000 a First on the list of priorities "scooping."

are fertilisers and mules. Spain' can now afford to buy only a fraction of the phosphates and nitrates she used to buy. The impoverished soil is getting weaker and steadily less productive. And the horrible trap is that the King he may be, but his life weaker the soil gets the less fer-

The Governor is "leader of society" in his Colony; is expected to do all he can to promote religion and education reconstruction of what it was in 1935, before the civil war. The population is total harvest today is only 70 per cent. the one-roomed corrugated-iron came out mining was under-specially the one-roomed corrugated-iron ground. For years I tried to instant the gap is inexorably widen-is the British money coming?

Spain could take care of her We've got the coal here but we started. Now just look...." civil war. The population has in-creased ten per cent, since 1935. And the gap is inexorably widen-

economic outlaw is working splendidly—at any rate, from the point of view of those who think it is a good plan.

While the rest of Western Europe is being helped back to prosperity this Cinderella, whom no one will invite to the Marshall Plan Ball, is going to rack and industries for ign equipment is low because foreign equipment is low because foreign equipment is of her telephone system). But it low because foreign equipment is of her telephone system). But it is difficult to see how private dollars can be lured to Spain on the vast scale required.

Hope Three is that, if Spain sits discreetly waiting a little longer, the rest of the Western world will come edging shamefacedly back to her side. While everyone else has gone through a sturry-eyed betrothal with Russia. an uneasy honeymoon and an unhappy marriage, Spain has pamained constant and inflexible in her anti-Communism.

Reds Out Now

There is even a slight undercurresit of fear that, if the Marshall Plan is America's weapon for But she needs foreign help to do fighting Communism, it won't apply to Spain because Spain has The Spanish Government - Intrendy defeated Communism prices. Thanks to Argentina, a which is certainly not prepared (though perhaps by un-American

Hope Three is certainly the best hope. If it fails, Spain will drift Hope One is a Ten-Year-Plan into penury and misery and per-And little that is pessimistic or called the Suances Plan, named haps starvation. Possibly, in the depressing is allowed into the after the Minister of Industry and end things will get so bad that Commerce. It is a bold plan and Amerca, by dangling the bright The bitter truth, -- at least, bit- it emphasizes the right things - promise of immediate help, will ter for the Spaniards - lies in fertilisers, fuel and power, and be able to force a change of rehard-to-find statistics and calcula- transport. But it is a slow plan. gime. But Spain is a country of tions of the future. Forces are at | based on Spain's own limited re- immense endurance, and the pre-

Blair Athol is a coal

cinderella, and must remains so

unless the cash comes from

Britain to build a new rallway

Listen to Tom Jones, the Open'

Output Limit

Blair Athol Coal and Timber.

Tom told me in his . North-

expanded operations in a modest of overburden until we reached placements for any type drive are always on hand. Rapid way. But the millions of capi- a wall of coal about 300 yards turnover of VeeLink on reels eliminates spare helt deterior-

He came out here at the age of

Eldorado Waits

to the coast.

By Edward Bishop

Here in the mid-west bush can't get it out-and we can't

where with the possibilities for Cut company's general manager.

tal required to develop the area long and 80 feet high.

"miners" asked me at the bar of country accent: "When I first

Hidden away in parched sun- 32. He came from Bishop

country of sub-tropical Queens- | make use of it.

land, some 40 miles from Bri-

tain's £2,000,000 pig farm

venture, and about 250 miles

a freakish coal area.

from Australia's east coast, lies

Since I arrived in Australia I

some 400,000,000 tons of coal- home.

have not been as impressed else-

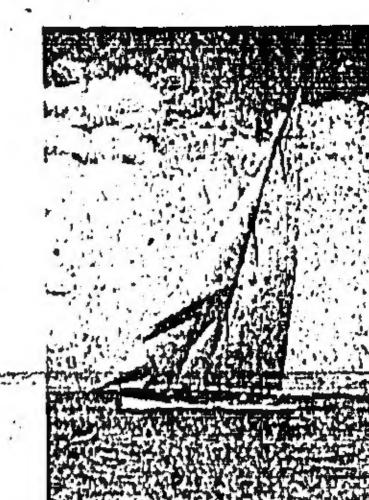
all, to be had for the mere

For years two private com-

panies have been scratching at

Cash Needed

The one question the open-cut



FILMS **PAPERS PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS**

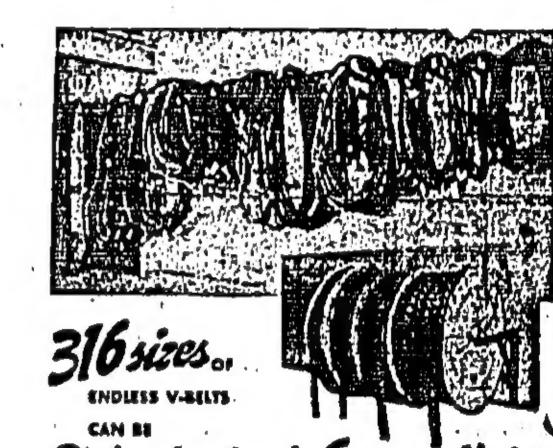
so the Synduc

THE PEKIN SYNDICATE LTD.

1B, Chater Road

Telephone 32460

SOLE AGENTS FOR HONG KONG & CHINA



Replaced with only 4 sizes of Verlink As many no 316 sixes of industrial and fractional endiess Vhelts can be replaced with only four reels of Veelink, the Tom and, I, sweated our way link V-belt. From these handy reels required belt lengths are this great deposit. Lately they 500 yards across white mounds quickly uncoupled, made endless and installed. Belt re-

> operating on the field are the age space. Blair Athol Open Cut and the VeeLink goes on quickly and easily...lowers uschine downtime. On drives with outboard bearings, it is installed without moving the motor or dismantling the machine. Savings on drives of this type have been estimated to run as high as 9/10 the cost of installing any other V-bell.

ation. Complex. costly belt inventories are ended. Stock re-



The companies at present cords are simplified. Standard reels held 100 feet, save stor-

VeeLink-known throughout th United States—has proven itself in service on thousands upon thou-sands of drives. Wherever it is used higher levels of power transmission efficiency are attained. Tested Proyed Adopted

Stocks Of All Sizes Available.

Sole Agents - KIU FOONG TRADING CO. 26, Connaught Road, C.



The Duchess of Sutherland -one of Britain's laveliest peeresses.

Every skin needs these two creams for beauty. First, Pond's Cold Cream to cleanse and soften your skin. Second, Pond's Vanishing Cream for day-long protection and powder

Cleanse and Soften Your Skin This Way Cream Cleanse -swirt Pond's Cold Cream all over your face to soften and sweep off dirt and make-up. Tissue off well. Gream Rinse-switt on more Pond's-to rinse off last traces of dirt, leave skin soft and immaculate. Thing off.

Make Powder Cling Longer-Before powder-

I know," says the **Duchess of Sutherland**

the finest creams

"Pond's are

ing, apply a thin film of Pond's cool, white Vanishing Cream. It slips on so easily-is not greasy. A delightful foundation! Keeps make-up beautifully fresh for hours.

Help your face to look its leveliest all the time. Be faithful to this regular daily Pond's "cream-care."

Get your two Pond's Creams TODAY.



POND'S COLD CREAM POND'S VANISHING CREAM

Trade inquiries to . . . L. D. SEYMOUR & CO., Inc. Room 322-323 Exchange Bldg., Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong:



DESIGNED AND BUILT

ASSURE TO

YEAR-IN

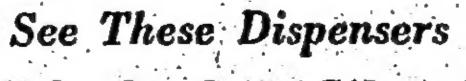
AND

YEAR-OUT

TROUBLE-

FREE

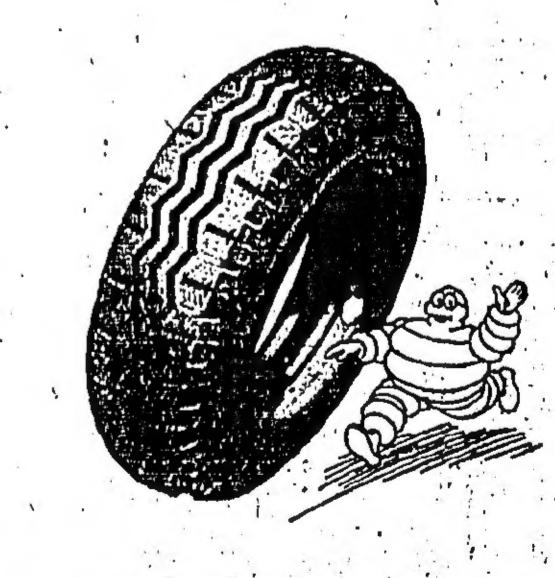
SERVICE



In Stock at Gilman's Gloucester Arcade Showroom SOLE DISTRIBUTORS

REFRIGERATION DEPARTMENT GLOUCESTER ARCADE

TELEPHONE 32461



MICHELIN

RUBBER

Sole Agents in South China HONGKONG CANTON EXPORT CO., LTD. French Bank Bullding,

HONG KONG PHONE 22765



Sole Distributors:--JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.

AMERICAN ASIATIC UNDERWRITERS

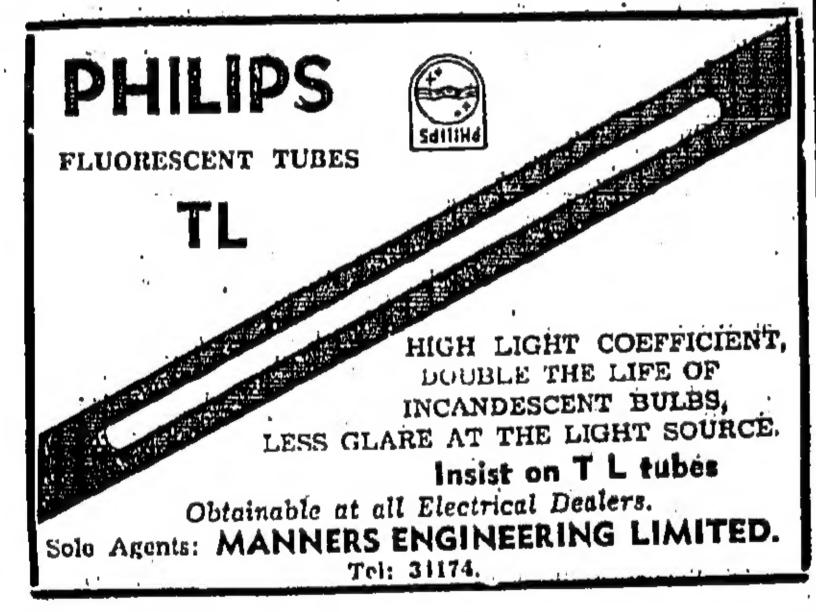
FEDERAL INC., U.B.A. GENERAL INSURANCE WORLDWIDE



FIRE-MARINE-AUTOMOBILE CASUALTY-AIR TRAVEL

14 QUEEN'S RD., C.

TELS: 30234, 22157





1. Chater Roud.

Malan Gets Mandate Segregation

Capatown, March 11. The Boath African Premier, Dr. Daniel Malan, whose Nationalist party Woll a majority of shats in this week's Voting tor provincial councils, today deciared his Government's determination to to ahoud with the racial sogregation policy, on which the elections were fought.

Thanking Nationalist Party supporters, the Premier said the results confirmed the mandate given in the general elec-

tions Jast May. "Taking everything into account, I regard the result as highly satisfactory," Dr. Malan said in his message. "We can rightly assume that the United Party (the Opposition Party led by the former Premier, General Jan Smuts) suffered a fresh defeat and that the verdict of May 5 has been confirmed."

Only by the racial segregation policy can white civilisation be saved, but the time is short, Dr. Malan added. The final figures were: Nationalists 86 seats; General Smuts' United Party 78; Independents three and Labour three sonts,-Reuter.

Chicago, March 11. Mr. Phillips Talbot, "Chicago Daily News" foreign correspondent, suggested today that the call for a further Asian Conference may lead to the formation of a bloc of Asiatic countries.

The correspondent recalls that spokesmen for the January conference in New Delhi emphasised that it did not signify the beginning of an Asian

Laurel May Stand For President

Mardla, March 12. day, on the occasion of his 58th birthday, that he will run for President if nominated at the forthcoming Nacionalista Party convention, and added that the Philippines now has a leaderless government.

Dr. Laurel, who was President regime, was arrested in Japan at the end of the war and later cleared of collaboration charges under a blanket executive par-

"We have a leader; but he is without the strength, force and dynamic magnetism to draw people to him and make them follow him," he said.

He added that if he is elected

now."-United Press.

made by Pandit Nehru that the Press. second conference might consider ways to establish either one or two permanent regional organisations among the partici-

"This would fit the desire of some Asian leaders to see a body in the ex-colonial realm that could deal with South Asia Issues. Dr. Jose Laurel said yester- and possibly form a 'third force'; "The general mood, however, discounts intervention in Western affairs. These Asians are merely serving notice that they are no longer content to see Western political considerations dictate decisions on Indonesia, Burma and other problem spots in their area.

"Enthusiasm for a South Asia regional bloc is tempered by the under the Japanese occupation knowledge of difficulties in the way of its achievement," the correspondent continues.

Much Distrust "Observers see Internal ten-

sions, fear of large neighbours and an external struggle for power in the region," the correspondent pointed out. Drafters of the arms aid programme are discussing "The smaller nations tend to

fear and distrust the more advanced economies and politics of India and China. Mr. Nehru has President, he will kick out all a lively personal following in the bad men and all the dishonest | South East Asia, but the political men and clean the Government, attitudes in Burma and Ceylon, for example, reveal concern over Dr. Laurel said: "Never in the the local activities of Indians. half-tentury has our coun- "As China falls increasingly military assistance bill are now European nations, but were not age indictment, in which she is been cursed with an ad- under Communist domination, being considered. China, as a certain about China and Koren, named Her trial was set for ministration as corrupt, as full non-Communist South East Asian possible recipient country, now of self-seekers, as cynically in- regimes are becoming more perdifferent to the people's welfare turbed than usual over their is under consideration. There as the one we are tolerating large, influential Chinese minorit- is every indication there will be actual draft of the proposed bill. ies," Mr. Talbot said,-Reuter.

Manila, March 11. The General Bank of the Philippines today authorised 469,200 pesos as first payment for the construction of three 10,000-ton vessels to be built in Japan under SCAP supervi-

The appropriation is the first under the Philippine Government's 200,000,000 peso economic development programme.

The contract for the construction of occan-going vessels in Japan came after a worldwide cativos during the last eight months by the National Development Company in collaboration Company for the lowest quotation gions and specifications drafted by Filipino technical experts.

The. De La Rama company are technical consultants of the National Development Company in the construction of British emissaries followed im-

Mr. Sergio Osmena, Jnr., Pre- London of the Australian Minsident of De La Rama, is to go ister for External Affairs, to Japan at once accompanied by Herbert Evatt, from the technical and legal advisers to Delhi conference on Burma. advise the Philippine Minister, Mr. Bernade Africa, on negotiations preparatory to signing a contract for the ships' construc-

Mr. Africa has power of attorney authorising him to sign contracts with the Japunese Board He reports, however, that of Trade and SCAP for the conproposals are said to have been struction of vessels.-United

HE INTRODUCED GARBO TO U.S.

Reverly Hills, Murch 11. Greta Garbo when the Swedish star made her American film dia, as an independent republic, debut, has died here aged 59. His other clients included John with Commonwealth members. Gilbert, Marlene Dietrich, Cary Reuter.

Discussing

be presented to Congress.

probably will be included.

legislation for Korea.

DEVELOPMENTS

London, March 11. Authoritative quarters today said that the despatch of ranking British emissaries to the Commonwealth capitals is connected with constitutional problems arising from India's declared intention of becoming an independent republic.

There is growing belief in Whitehall that the Indian Government is facing increasing pressure to sever ties with the Commonwealth.

No official quarter is prepared | the same fatal mistake as Gento say that this pressure eralissimo Chiang Kai-shek. They say that Britain and the emanates from Communist United States, in order to quarters, but it is said that the losses elsewhere in Asia, Indian Government's recent bringing the capitalist drive into poisoning. nctions speak for themselves. full swing in India. One British official said: "All Military Moves

Commonwealth Governments are The Communists cite the fol vitally concerned with the prelowing developments: servation of democracy against 1. Anglo-American the forces of dictntorship in the hydro-electric projects and new ment has taken the initiative in ronds, rallways and communica- Medaille Militaire consulting other Dominions on constitutional aspects of an intions, services.

2. The projected treaty dependent republic retaining trade, havigation, and friend-Commonwealth ties," The urgent desputch of four United Btates. 3. The International Bank mediately after the arrival in

lowing the American declaration two daughters in Metz, France. New that India would be included in the financial scheme for recon-The Indian Premier, Jawa- struction, 4. India's military preparaharial Nehru, is said to have

tions in laying out sirfields, remade plain to Dr. Evatt, India's future constitutional ing military alreraft from Briplans, which Dr. Evatt convey tain and augmenting the Indian ed to the Prime Minister, Cle-Navy with warships from Britnin.-United Press.

A Bulwark

Dr. Evatt has many times expressed his conviction that India alone among the South East Asian countries has the strength and ability to act as a bulwark against Communist expansion. For this reason he urged both

ment Attiec.

Aid Planners Are

whether or not to include China in the bill to

Mr. Attlee and the Foreign Secretary, Ernest Bevin, to make ? every effort to obtain Common-Mr Harry Edington, agent for wealth agreement on a workable scheme which would permit Into play her part in association Communist quarters say that and Claudette Colbert.—! if Mr. Nehru envisages such an

arrangement he will be making

China

tries might not be named in the

provide for Congress authorisation of the transfer of military

assistance to unspecified coun-

tries and to authorise appro- ,

priations for the fiscal year

Paris, March 11.

Washington, March 11.

o Answer New York, March 11.

Gubitchev

Refuses

engineer accused of espionage, boy?" and strolled on his waytoday refused to answer ques- whistling .- Associated Press. tions and claimed diplomatic immunity at his appearance before a Federal Court here. Gubitchev was indicted yesterday with Miss Judith Coplon, an

employee in the Department of He declared that the presecution against him is to pursue cer-

tala aims. The judge declined to accept Gubitchev's statement that he did not want a counsel and declared he would insist on a lawyer for

the defence.

He and Miss Coplon have been necused by the Grand jury of conspiracy to pass to a foreign power sian and Stalingrad fronts. American defence and intelligence data. They met this morning for the first time since they were in the army 30 years and had Some assistance for Korea Yesterday, Government officials soized together last Friday night been a member of the Communist said the programme might pro- after a chase through New York Party since 1920. He was also a

Recipient countries under the pose aid for Iran, Greece, Tur- streets. Miss Copien pleaded not guilty United Press. present proposed draft of the America as well as the Western to the three counts of the espion-Sources today said the coun- April 1 .-- Reuter,

Queen Naeli

New York, March 12, The health of Queen Mother Nacli of Egypt is so greatly imthe proponents will go into de-tails of countries to which the treatments at the Mayo Clinic eight and one-third per cent, that she is looking forward to United Press. an early return home.

Riad Ghali, the Queen's political adviser, said the doctors have expressed the hope that no further operation will be necessary and perhaps the Queen may fly to Egypt this Spring.

The Queen Mother has been a patient at the Mayo Clinic in No funerals could be held in Rochester, Minnesbia, since De- between the Sterling areas of the he French provinces today be- cember 21, receiving treatments British Commonwealth and the cause 8.500 understakers' assist- following an operation performed Japaneso ents are on strike for higher on a previous visit there.-As-

HEROIC GENERAL DEAD

Paris, March 12. General Henri Honore Giraud. Chi-min. President of the Vietaged 70. French hero of two world wars, died last night at military hospital in Dijon, 'He are had been stricken with food

The General, retired since the end of world war two, received the last rites of the Roman Catholie church earlier on Friday. During the two wars General

Glinud escaped six times from German prisons. He received the Medal) on Thursday. .. This is France's highest decoration and is generally given only to other ship between India and the Ranks. It is an unusual distinction for an officer to receive it. General Girnud had been livcommission's tour of India fol- ing quietly with his wife and In the buttle of France in 1940

General Giraud commanded groups of armies in Northern France. He was cited for holding back the Germans until his eruiting a territorial army, buy- forces were defeated and he was captured on May 21, 1940.

He was placed in Koenigstein fortress, in Saxony, from which place he escaped 'in April, 1942. This escape was one of the most dramatic incidents of his adventurous life.

General Giraud spent eight months painstakingly woaving together a 65-foot rope from small strands of thread sent to him in letters by his wife. The night he slipped down the wall at Koenigatein, he encountered a German, General Giraud remarked Valentin Gubitchev, Russian Pretty cold tonight, isn't it, my

RED ARMY LEADER DEAD

Moscow, March 11. Colonel-General Prokofi Logninovich Romanenko, one of the most prominent wartime soldiers and liberator of the cities Gubitchev did not answer. The of Rechitsa, Gomel, Bobruisk hearing will be resumed on Mon- and Slonim, died here yesterday following a prolonged illness. General Romanenko also was one of the leaders on the Caus-

> Peasant-born about 50 years ago, General Romanenko served deputy of the Supreme Soviet-

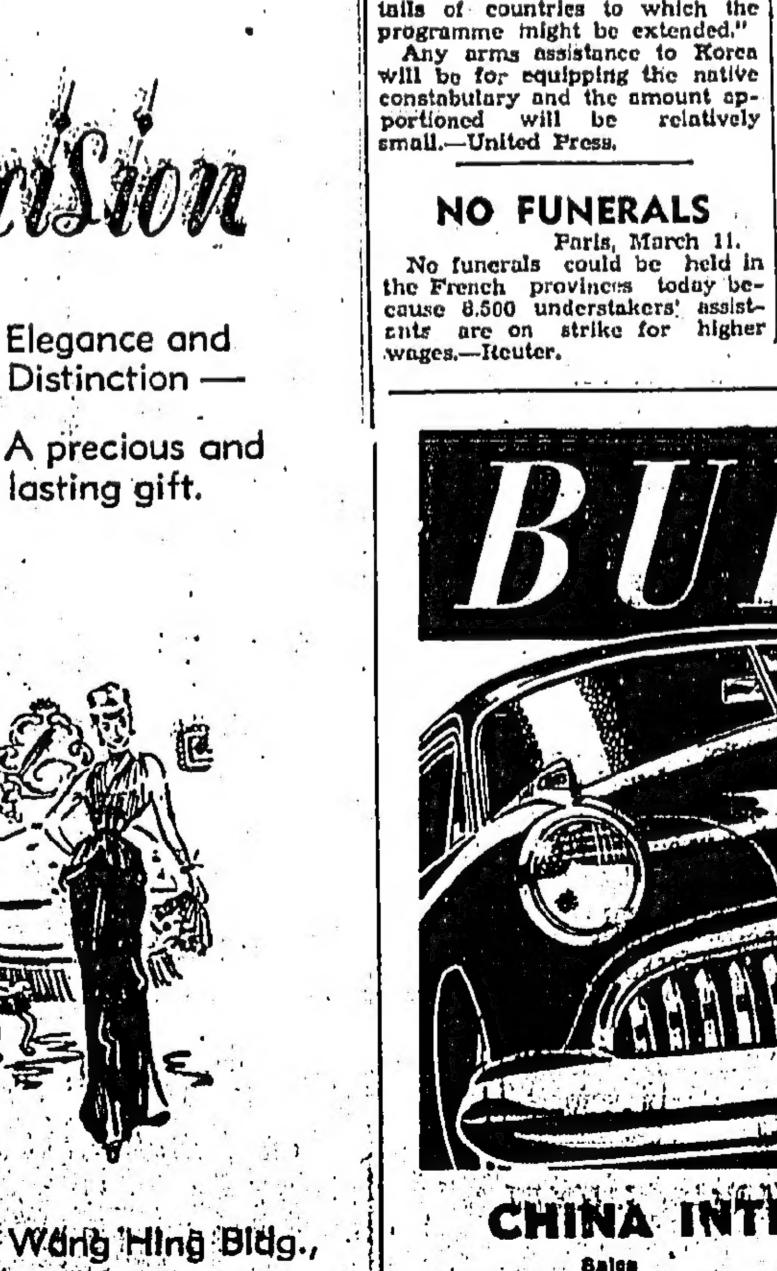
GRAVE DIGGERS' STRIKE OVER

New York, March 11. Cardinal Spellman, who put seminary students to work digging graves, announced today that a settlement has been reached in the two-months-old strike of the gravediggers of Calvary Cometery. The Cardinal said the workers

TOKYO TALKS

Singapore, March 11. Andrew Gilmour. Singapore Secretary for Economic Affairs, will watch the interests of Malaya at the coming talks in Tokyo

The talks are due to be held on March 17.—Associated Press.



Wang Hing Bldg., H. Chaong-Loon & Co., H.K. Tel. 28332

CHINA INTERNATIONAL MOTORS

Bank of Est Alla Bidg.

Sou Hannessy Road,

THE FORGER CHALLENGED SCOTLAND YARD

tan Police at Peckham, very from artism to technical scholar. of proud of myself, in 1919, another young ex-soldier was deciding to be a burglar, I will call him James Robinson--though that was not his real name.

While I studied how to shelter my bulls-eye oil lantern under of articles, pamphtets, on why my rubber cape when it rained, fingerprints were uscless and at the same time neither sufficate nor ret, myrelf on fire, Robinson, a thin-faced intelligent and of 20, was learning how to b. rak into ware ouses.

The same month I got the first of my 69 Commissioner's recommenducions documentality androand as an excited young constable—Robinson got three, years' Burstni.

In 1922, while I was phrasing tny letter of application to be transferred to the newly-formed Fingerprint Branch, voung Hobinson was organising a little; gung of bievels thieves in Horn-Key Norther of us knew then that he was fated to become the most dangerous forger in British crime annals

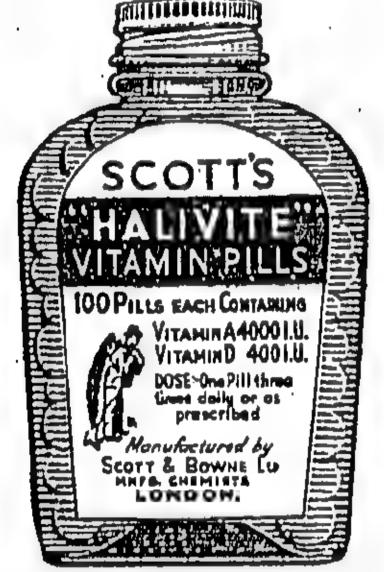
A Gunman at 23

got his flist heavy gaof sentence ; As I walked up the historic started down the road that was steps of Old Scotland Yard to make him a modern scientist grain. (where the first Fingerprint Des.) partment used to be) Robinson was firing five revolver shots at, a policeman who struggled to lenged arrest him outside his gang headquarters.

He got ten years' penal servitude at the age of 23, Mr. Justice Branson said: "It was only by Heaven's mercy the offleer was not killed."

years later and Robinson came out I had been promoted Sergeant in a rapidly expanding Fingerprint Department that had moved into the highest floors of New Scotland Yard,

the grimmest, bleakest univer-Prison library—he had achieved



PREPARED BY THE MAKERS

THE FAMOUS SCOTT'S EMULSION

HALIVITE Obtainable at all Dispensaries Interested In

Fingerprints And now we had something in common. We were both interest-

ed in fingerprints, Not, however, from the same viewpoint, Robinson wrote dozens crime-prevention, He tried

make Scotland Yard's Fingerprint Department a laughing stock. He issued a chaffenge-

Inspector SYDNEY S. BIRCH, Late Of Scotland

that he could forge my fingerprints and copy them in blood on It was not for forgery that he an object I had never touched. The ex-Borstal bike thief had of crime,

"Fingerprints Can Be Forged" the headline on his article chal-'

such forgeries can always be fered. . tiniest detail in a dot or

hun this answer publicly. So that was James Robinson (fection) on fingerprints. It was the state-When the fron gates opened ment of a misguided man-but asked -- "At up an epidascope in not the argument of an agnorant every branch post office? Or

to rob shops, and was sent to long conferences with Post Of-Dartmoor for three years in 1931, fice officials, no doubt feeling easier in his Sergeant Peacock finally re-Robinson, too, had changed. In mind for having been caught ceived permission to take two red-handed instead of being daring steps. First, that all the world Dartmoor identified by his fingerprints. When he came out, it was not future be unhesitatingly hona braggart gang-leader, but a oured at all post offices... BUT,

> Hornsey, North London, Greatest Forger

He emerged with an armful stamps had already been sold. of books: "Modern Printing," "The Art and Practice of Print-| gigantic and intricately patient ing," and "Printing Inks, Their patterns of organised detective Composition and Manufacture." He had decided to do his with his brilliant flashes of future thieving, as he put it, quick genius, never properly al-"like a gentleman," He planned lows for in his calculations. to become the greatest forger in modern criminal history- machinery capable of forging greater than Jim the Penman, those stamps was investigated. who merely muleted the bank Every printer believed to posaccounts of individual victims, Robinson's forgeries, as Mr. came under scrutiny. Every Justice Hilberry was later to say, technical college, night school, "struck at the very stability of our society and our system." Robinson took scrupulous care books might be available, was to fit himself for the task of becoming a flawless forger. "This is the greatest idea of my life," he jubilantly told the seriousfaced man who was to be his

· They took a house in Crouch ed, detectives worked to trace it End. For more toan two years back, they read books to each other, bought machinery, mixed chemi- wavered, converged...on a house cals, experiented. They be- with pink curtains in Crouch came experts in photography, End. colouring, engraving, electroplating and printing.

a forger's paradise, with elaborate around the house with the pink hatters. His advice to patients ing new printing presses in the halted outside, with G.P.O. in- "No caps or hats, friend

When I joined the Metropoli- | culture, book-learning, changed on On a dark November morning on Sea Power: on our ability to

office at Scotland Yard.

cashed lately, in large amounts--- standing. and these were left on the coun-

counter, was puzzled, for al- possible linison,"

with some in stock, They looked genuine ... yet when she turned with an apologetic sinile the man had gone, abandoning his

We put them under the epidlascope (a sort of magic lantern) and enlarged them until we could study every speck and

Just minutely here and there, when compared with equally en-True, But with our apparatus larged genuine stamps, these difcurl. I whistled.

I have waited 12 years to give These were more than forgeries. They were little lewels of per-"What are you going to do?"

withdraw the entire Issue and He found it more to his taste maybe cause a panic?" We held

stumps, forged or not, should in hushed and thoughtful man who at certain selected post offices entered the public library of payments should be made only in marked £1 and £5 notes.

It was calculated that about £1,500-worth of the Then began one of those work that the clever criminid Every piece of sess the technical skill involved

to be visited. House With Pink

sary high-grade tuition or text-

Curtains Each time one of the specially marked £1 or £5 notes appear-

The trails led all over town,

At 7 a.m. one Sunday morning produced this miracle in four to ment. The house, innocent behind its one of them carrying Chief Inquiet pink curtains, became spector Bob Fabian—pulled up nature and discouragement to

AO

In the next war, though we may have at our command the most deadly atomic bomb or the most accurate rocket, our success will not depend on these modern methods of destruction

It will depend, as in the past, of 1945, Detective-Sergeant Christopher Peacock of the ment, and one of his men, with a C.I.D. officer, came to my ability to keep open our vital operation of the Ministry of They put £15 worth of fiveshilling Post Office Savings
Stairing on my desk.

Stairing on my desk.

Stairing on my desk.

This understanding must be

!Amsterdam, Saturday.

Bald-headed Dutchmen thro-

for Van Rooyen is more than

a barber. He claims to grow

In his shop, at Een-a village

in the province of Drente-he

boasts about restoring the hair on

scores of some 500 bald heads at

"No caps or hats, friends. Go

hair on the desert pates.

present under his treatment.

HAIR RAISING STORY

By Admiral Sir Charles Morgan

Exchange of Officers

ability to keep open our vital operation of the Ministry of they saw, made a great impres-"What's the trouble?" I asked. The stamps looked good to me. "We think they're forgeries." chant Navy in a spirit of good said Peacock. "A lot have been commendeable and supported by the Commendeable and spirit of good said Peacock. "A lot have been commendeable and supported by the Admiralty, I was invited by the Admiralty, I was invited by the Commendeable and the men of the Merical by the Commendeable and the men of the Merical strains of the importance of close commendeable and the men of the Merical strains of the importance of close commendeable and the men of the Merical by the Commendeable and the men of the Merical by t

by a man who ran away."

The officers of the two great sea amazed to see the splendid action and learn at first hand some commodation and recorded for ministration and operation of the commodation provided for ministration and operation of the commodation and the commod Miss Emily Gollop, behind the portunity to maintain the closest officers and men in modern mer- merchant ships, counter, was puzzled, for alfthough rain was beating against and new methods of warfare overcoal.

The seemed seared. She didn't and problems. The Royal and the close attendance of the comfort and wellthe seemed seared. She didn't and problems. The Royal and the close attendance of the comfort and welltion which is now given by the close attendance of the comfort and wellthe seemed seared. She didn't and problems. The Royal and the close attendance in four different ships, visiting the close attendance of the comfort and wellthe seemed seared. She didn't and problems. The Royal and the close attendance in four different ships, visiting the close attendance in four different ships, visiting the close attendance in four different ships.

The Royal and the close attendance in the close attendance in four different ships, visiting the close attendance in four different ships.

The seemed seared. She didn't and problems are invented to the comfort and wellthe seemed seared. She didn't and problems are invented to the close attendance in four different ships, visiting the close attendance in four different ships, visiting the close attendance in four different ships, and the close attendance in four different ships.

The seemed seared seared seared in the close attendance in four different ships are close attendance.

The secondary are close attendance in the close attendance in four different ships are close attendance in the close atte rand problems. The Royal and night off Oban we found HMS. I made this unique voyage, not quite know what was wrong, but Merchant Navies must be train- Devoushire, the cadet training as a passenger, but as an officer sold: "Just a moment, please," ed and ready to not together cruiser, already there. On board of the ship in which I served, and went to compare the stamps now; for there will be no time her, the Owner's son was doing

patients. The influx of bald pates also has caused a housing short-

But Van Rooyen is a good busi-

The picture shows Van Rooyan working on a head

which started from scratch

four months ago, Now there's

enough for a parting .- Asso-

ness man. He is sending his son

to open a branch in Amsterdam. In the meantime he works until

uge in Ecn.

Wonder drugs, brushing, mas- 11 o'clock at night cultivating bair

sage and artificial sunlight have for £5 to £30 sterling a treat-

This National Service time as an Ordinary Seaman, and my own son happened to be her Navigating Officer.

Noxt day visits were exchanged between the two ships, every caucit from H.M.S. Devenshire and many of her officers inspecting the Agapenor from stem to

that my host's views regarding said Peacock, "A lot have been comradeship and complete under- their latest motor, vessel, the a result of our conversations 1 was invited, when I retired from and these were left on the coun- This understanding must be This proved a happy and most the Royal Navy, to make a ter at Monk's Park Post Office achieved now-in peace time. Interesting experience, and I was voyage in the ships of his fleet

> I wore Merchant Navy uniform mixed freely with officers and men, and took an active part in the navigation and routine of the ship at sea, and the loading, discharge and handling of cargo twhen in harbour.

Disappointingly few opporfunities occured for exchanges of visits with His Majesty's ships, but both at Hong Kong and at Singupore parties of Naval officers came aboard. and at the latter port I took my captain to call on the Commander-in-Chief. When we returned from that visit my captain said: "Do you know, Morgan, I never realised before that Admirals could be

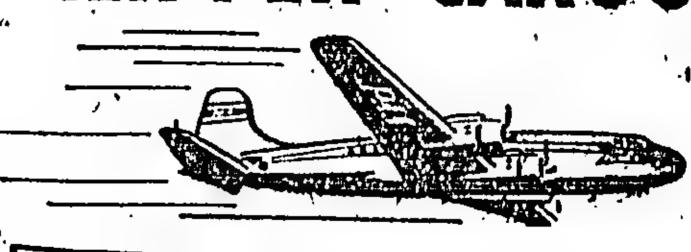
so human." This remark vividly illustrated the tendency of the two Services to drift apart in peace time, for this same capthin would not have said that at the end of the war, after working in close contact with Adinitals and cenior officers of the Fleet. Already his recollections of those years was beginning to fade through lack of contact. I made it my business in har bour to visit other ships of the company. I was thus able to familiarise myself with the many papers and certificates which every merchant vessel operating on the high seas must have; and to learn something of stability problems, of the preparation of holds and tanks for many types of cargo, the advance planning necessary for proper stowage, and the lifting of heavy weights. If I had had the benefit of

this experience and knowledge. early in my career I should un-doubtedly have been a better and more useful naval officer. discovered that at heart, though at first reluctant to discuss it, the large majority of Merchant Navy officers have the greatest interest in the Royal Navy. Not only were they anxious to know about the organisation, administration and Publicity given in newsapers Novy, but they were also keenly and over the radio to this Dutch interested in the employment of ughout Holland are flocking to Barber has started such a rush the men, gunnery control, naviga-

> been forced to refuse new a man-of-war. The desire for knowledge about their sister Service was particularly noticeable among the younger officers, and it is this interest which the Admiralty

The spirit Navy, so much in evidence in the days of the Multa and Russian convoys, is still there, but it is lying dormant. A regular inter-change of officers will revive and strengthen it, and in so doing make a vital contribution towards the defence preparations of the Empire and the preservation of world peace.

SAVE BY SPEEDY CLIPPER CARGO



	New Low Rates to U.S.A. on	100 lbs. or more
	PORTLAND-SEATTLE	RATE PER LA
	CHICAGO DETROIT	\$ 1.88
	DETROIT	2.00
443 1	CLEVELAND	201
•		
•	NEW YORK	2.03
,	Special rate on NEEDLE	204
-	ASK ABOUT OTHER SPECIAL COMMODITY RATES	\$ 1.42

• CLIPPER CARGO covers your shipment to anywhere in the U.S .-- on one Air Waybill, Cuts paper work . . . climinates separate insurance documents. Let us show you how to reduce shipping weights and packing costs, too. There are many more advantages in using the world's most experienced airline. Get the facts from , your Clipper Cargo Agent or ...

> Genl. Agrs., CNAC - Peninsula Hotel Hong Kong · Phones 58870, 59988

PAN AMERICAN WORLD AIRWAYS





SOLE AGENTS:

DODWELL & CO., LTD.

REMOVAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Owing to the impending demolition of No. 14, Pedder Street (Ground floor), the premises hitherto occupied by us, we are soon to move to No. 3A, Wyndham Street, where we shall continue to serve by catering to the requirements of our patrons to whose support we are indebted for the continuation of our business which was first established in 1907.

We desire to take this opportunity to give expression to our heartfelt gratitude for such support and to assure our patrons that they can count on us for moderation of prices, courtesy and service at our new address as at the old at which latter place we expect to resume business, upon the completion of the new building.

Our now premises will be open for retail husiness as from the 21st inst.

PLEASE NOTE NEW ADDRESS: SA, WYNDHAM STREET (Corner of Wyndham St. & Wellington St.

SWATOW DRAWN WORK CO., LTD.

PRESENT ADDRESS-14, PEDDER STREET.

Telephone: 22860.



BANGKOK RANGOON SINGAPORE MANILA MANILA BANGKOK SINGAPORE MANILA

14th. March Monday 14th. Monday 14th. Monday Monday Wednesday 18th Friday Saturday .

PASSENGER & FREIGHT BOOKINGS:-

Hongkong, 1, Connaught Road, Kowloon, Peninsula Hotel.

Tel. 30331 Ext. 14. Tel. 56260

SPEND THIS WEEKEND IN

GO BY AIR!

YOU CAN BE THERE IN 25 MINUTES

SCHEDULE FLIGHT HONG KONG MACAO

10.30 A.M. SUNDAY 7.30 A.M. MONDAY PASSENGER

KOWLOON Peninsula Hotel Arcade

SATURDAY

BOOKINGS HONG KONG Passengers Booking

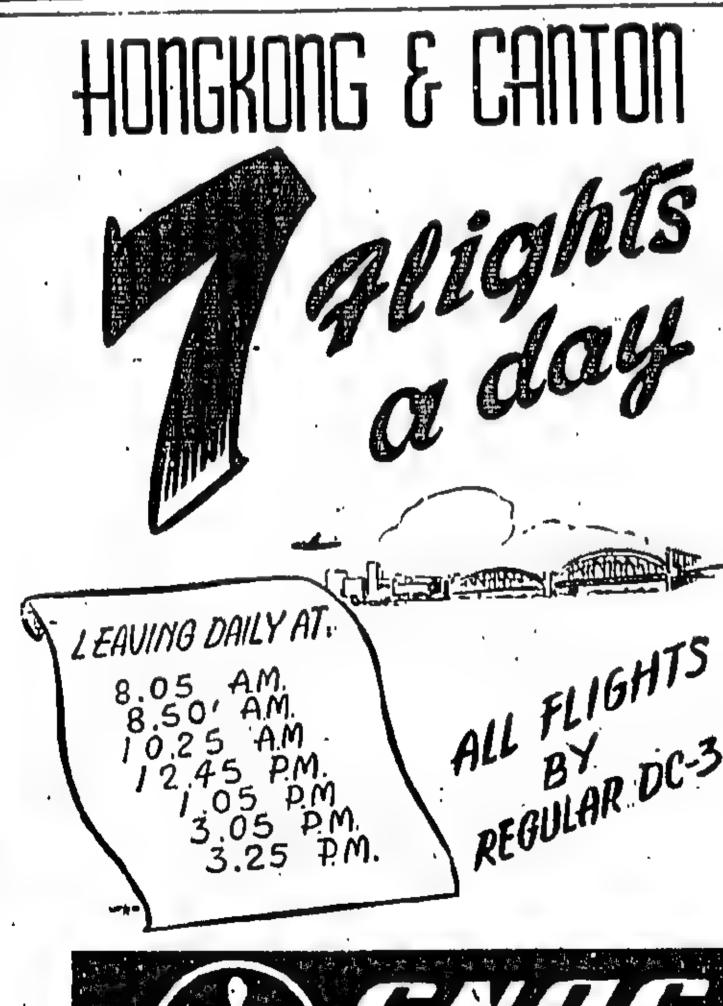
3.30 P.M.

4.30 P.M.

B.30 A.M.

4, Chater Road, Tel. 31400 Tel. 56260

2.30 P.M.



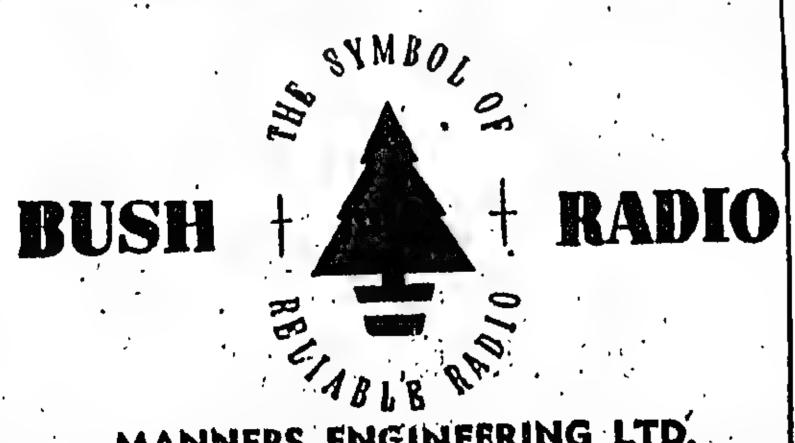


Gloucester Bldg., Hongkong Tels. 31166-31169

Mercantile Bank Bldg.

Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon Tel. 58870

Tel. 84174.



"THE HONG KONG SUNDAY HERALD"

12, Des Veeux Road, Central, Mezzanine Floor, HONG KONG. Telephones:

Editor-in-Chief Reporters & General Office 32312 (four lines)

. Subscription Rates: 3 months H.K.\$ 2.80 6 months H.K.\$ 5.50 One year ...,.. H.K.\$11.00 All news contributions to be addressed to Editor-in-Chief. Advertisements and Business communications should the Company addressed to CHINA MAIL LTD.

EMPTY PREMISES

Once more the authorities hungry masses. It was-like been cancelled, owing to unthat of last October-an im- favourable reactions to this pressive step. No less than scheme in America. five English and Chinesestyle flats have been comed. This is at least .001 per

broken.

to compare these moves with basis. week after week until saturation point was reached. Of announce that say 500 premises had been taken over, it would not have been in

the best of taste.

less than 200 pre-war flats now vacant, and it is these only which can be touched. Those built since the reoccupation (or do we mean the liberation?) run into large figures on both sides of the harbour, despite the influx of refugees from North the Yangtse in recent months, who were able to pay the modest tens of thousands of key money and the reasonable rentals demanded. By a completely understandable decision of the legislabuildings erected since 1945 are exempt from cona man be expected to spend European" he should include what about the Eastern-most end a hundred thousand if he among them the implementation -the Arab States and Israel? cannot make a million from of the North Atlantic Pact. It Here the whole problem of the its investment in times like is obvious however, that both the strategical Middle East opens these? There is no one who alarmed if they thought that war in Palestine.

public funds here should not be spent, as at Home, in Britain) for the arms and war building low-priced dwell- materials without which they ings to accommodate the formerly interned families and those who came out to join commercial firms and hesitation that the authorities civil service families.

This is all very understand- Yugoslavia. able and proper. At one thing for Greece and Turkey newly-built properties, to pense. chance of obtaining it back

SUICIDE IN U.S. SENATE

Washington, March 11. An elderly man shot himself today in the Legislative buildings of the U.S. Senate. He carried an American passport, showing his birthplace to o in Britain.—Reuter.

THE SHANGHAI VOLCANO

war are in progress, the position in Shanghai is steadily

deteriorating. Nearly every day sees an intensification of the financial crisis. Fantastic proposals for currency stabilisation apparently arouse false hopes for a few hours or days, and then there is another slump in the value of the co-called Gold Yuan,

The latest project-reversion to the minling and use of silver coinage-is utterly impracticable. The silver at the disposal of the National Government, today, quired to put China back upon vacant residential premises a special Envoy to the United in the Colony, and requisi- States to attempt to borrow tioned them for the room- enormous quantities of silver for

No Guarantee After pouring billions of U.S. Communist forces. mandeered, and if they pack Dollars into China's bottomless Treaty Powers Defence Because of our all-too- whose past activities have frus- Settlement or the French Con- in Shanghai is to be given a fair nations will be restored."

dream outside China is likely to considerable fighting and looting, ties of trade under the "Red", lian soldiers who fought against Britain, where premises cap- come from log-rolling American culminating in a massacre of are staying on in Shanghai in his army in Hong Kong, Malaya, able of housing thousands silver interests, hopeful of in- the "Red", in the Native City the hope of salvaging some at and Burma for four terrib'e years, were summarily taken over creasing the price of the metal and the Chinese suburbs.

> the "Reds". Hardly, a day, passes, without more likely that these soldiery

While formal and informal, some incident resulting from will seize upon the opportunity official and unofficial, efforts their arrogance and indiscipline to indulge in an orgy of incento contact the Chinese Com- And the local Chinese authorities, diarism and looting, before atmunist leaders, and open troops will get completely out of tackers. And it is unlikely that negotiations for a peaceful hand unless they are liberally the Police (already seriously conclusion to China's civil subsidised, are now attempting disaffected) will be able to cope to collect "protection fees" from with the resulting local disthe entire population-including orders. foreign enterprises.

By H.G.W. Woodhead, C.B.E.

The latter, apparently on orders from their Consular officials, improbable that they are resisting this levy, on the agree to the temporary selfground that it is not within their denying procedure, suggested province to support the armed above. If there were any hope of the number that would be to lorge of either side in the midst stemming the "Red" advance for of a civil war: It is possible that good it might be worth while have swooped down on long. a silver basis. The despatch of propaganda use will be made of taking some risks with Shanghai. this stand to incite anti-foreign But judging from past events that is upon the foreigners most, can be expected, and the bodying, in a mystical way, the to visit England. For the past and foreign properties that they consequences of this, and of the will turn, first, if-as one may letting loose within the area, of assume from precedents in Tien- hordes of undisciplined and feartain and elsewhere—they mutiny crazed soldiery, may be to inand loot on the approach of the volve the whole Shanghai area

least 50 men, women and taxpayers can hardly be expected menaced by the approach of am to see Shanghai in the hands he he remembers with respect and present conditions it is not possible. children can be accommodat- to endorse a scheme which Communist-indoctrinated armies, of the "Reds". But judging from savantage the example and advice sible." would, under existing conditions, the neutrality and security of the what has happened in Tlenisin be received from King George He also said: "Japan has much provide no guarantee whatsoever area were protected by the De- and Peking they are less, likely when he visited England 28 years to learn from the way in which cent of the people who are that China's currency could be fence Forces of the Treaty to create disorder and chaos than ago. Hong Kong, so it can safely silver bullion. It is more likely for this purpose, the British optimistic regarding the future welcome I had from the British of the Japanese be said that the back of the that within a few months of the Government took the lead, of Shanghai if it comes under Royal Family and people," he said. The power of the Japanese Improblem has almost been arrival of the silver the bulk of No armed anti-Kuomintang or Communist control. But if their it would have passed into the Nationalist troops were allowed attitude towards American, Bri- sourse of time the good relations

"pill-boxes" around tack there will be any hope of be agreed upon.

It must be assumed

forthcoming, that the Communist by Emperor Hirohito. leaders desire to take over Shanghai peacefully, and intact. Probably their reluctance to move straight in is due to appreciation of the fact that they do not possess the trained personnel necessary for the administration of this huge city.

If this is so, it is by no means in disaster.

Less Likely

hands of Chinese profiteers, entry into the International tish and other foreign interests hat used to exist between our two here, it is obviously unfair national currency upon a sound meter which extended from a ed with a stricken and looted nothing of the barbarities o considerable distance beyond the city. Many foreign business men, imperial Japanese troops against in the country districts he has The only support for this silver municipal boundaries. There was though dubious of the possibili- the British, Indian, and Austra- been received with as much onleast of their interests. Self- The Emperor (who almost cerby shipping large quantities. If the Chinese leaders of the interest would appear likely to tainly had no personal part in peace movement in Shanghai are induce the Chinese Communist these atrocities) looks younger wave up his favourite pastime of The main danger to the peace to have any hope of preventing leaders, temporarily at least, to han his 47 years. His figure has course, at Home the govern- of Shanghai today appears to lie serious disorders in the near refrain from pulling down the filled out somewhat, but his bear ment had more than the in the presence of ever-increasing future, their best policy would iron curtain at the mouth of ing is siert and energetic still. newspapers and the Reform numbers of ill-equipped, undis- be to demand that all Chinese the Whangpoo. It is urged,

Club to deal with, and ciplined Nationalist soldiery. They troops leave the Shanghai area, then, that prior to the selves of a number of private undertaking from the "Reds" liations, the removal of all Chiproperties, including several for- that they will not despatch nose Nationalist armed forces are not given their due im- properties, including several for- that they will not despatch nese Nationalist armed forces speciacles, has a small, thin black

portance.—And of course, if eign-owned buildings, which they forces into Shanghai while peace from Shanghai, coupled with a our PRO's office had had to refuse to evacuate. They have negotiations are in progress. | Communist agreement not to re- dark striped suit with a soft been employing forced labour to No-one supposes for a moment place them with "Red" forces white collar. Three senior memerect a number of filmsy and that if the Communist forces at- during the negotiations, should Shanghai, striving to convey the repelling them with the ragtag This arrangement would not, impression that they intend to and bobtail Nationalist forces of course, provide a solution for Also, there are probably defend the area from attacks by now forming the (fluctuating) the rapid deterioration of econogarrison of Shanghai. It is much (Continued on Col. 7)

MEDITERRANEAN Very little has been given out Britain's interest, though now to roll up the remaining defences invests him now. One might be regarding the limited physically to Gibraltar, of the Continent.

visits paid to Mr. Bevin in Malta, Cyprus, Libya and the quick succession by the Foreign and very far-reaching. Ministers of Turkey and The United States, since Presi-

about, Mr. Tsaldaris, the Greek ago, has played and must con-Foreign Minister, said "general tinue to play an essential part subjects," but added that "as a in stabilising the whole. But cannot applaud the wisdom Washington and London were The conclusion of an armistice of this continuance of laissez tending to visualise Europe in last week between Israel and terms of the Atlantic only. In the same way, the Hong portance because in standing, as and Arab since 1919) is an event Kong government was right they do, on our side in the "cold not without relevance here. to point out to Whitehall that | war" against Russia both countries rely on the United States (and in certain matters on Great

War Of Nerves

could not keep their ends up.

\$4,000,000 to house 26 of its irregulars play tip and run are long time. those of Albania, Bulgaria or

Thus it would be a serious time this newspaper advocat- if the arming of Western Europe

which landlords and wouldbe tenants could apply for together that for some Meditertogether that for some Meditertogether that for some Meditertogether that for some Mediterto the Charter of United Nations. an official assessment in the ranean countries, e.g. Italy, geoevent of disagreement. This overstrained if the Atlantic Ract however, were extended to include them. properly ignored by the au- From the Arctle Ocean, in-thorities, and the empty flats deed, to the Black Sea it may will remain empty until single front against a single agthose who have so bravely pressor. But on the whole it capital have the would seem more natural, and likely in the working to be more convenient, if there were two in its entirety in a reason- Pacts, one for the North Atlanable time of 12 months or so. He and one for the Mediterranean -co-ordinated with and supplementary to each other, yet each a unity. And that is what, if report spoaks truly, Mr., Tsaldarla has boen suggesting.

Whom should a Mediterranean tern Europe no less than that But it is not easy to see many Pact include? Italy-Errece and of Esstern is involved, and that, others. China has gone to pieces, Turkey have just been mention-if once Russia selzed entry to it others. China has gone to pieces, others of South-East. Asia is in the ed. France also is deeply con-through the Aegean Sea, it would be south-East. cerned in the Mediterraneur be comparatively cary for her impling pot-

Turkey Canal Zone, is centuries old

dent Truman stated her concern Asked what he would talk for Turkey and Greece two years French Communist parties Greece and Turkey would be up complicated by the fact of has lost

Egypt (the first agreement of The point is of immediate im- any kind reached between Jew

more, that the two Semitic peo- Russian soldiers (whom ples might eventually sink their French Communists, as present quarrel in a common Thorez admitted would not Against Turkey the Soviet has effort to guard the free develop- pose but welcome); and to the rebuild Hong Kong's pros- waged a war of nerves for three ment of the Middle East. But further feeling that then it will years past, and against Greece that is, as yet, a remote pros- pay to have been on the Soviet's she has waged since 1944 an pect, if a prospect at all. For side, or at least not too decidedly actual war of guns and battle- the time we shall have to build against it. ference with private enter- fields-no less real because not without it, and the natural base Take away that international prise, and it was only with Russian soldiers but Balkan ir- to start from is the present uncertainty, give solid assurance regulars are employed to make situation of Greece and Turkey, against the fear of being overit, and no less Russian because The two countries, once foes, run, and the Communist parties the frontiers across, which the have been on good terms for a in Italy and France would lose

Same Aggressor

simultaneously by the same ag- being concerned in that Pact ed a Fair Rents Tribunal for were carried out at their ex- gressor, and their geography is only, the last three in the North The Mediterranean and the conquered, the other could scar- The Pact would run

> would almost automatically bring down both. And more; the wide ingress which she would thus acquire into the Mediterranean would with almost equal automatism widen itself still fur-

overcoming, Greece, she would States. be no less favourably situated in regard to Italy. And, if Italy fell, how long could France hold out? And if France fell, what would be left of Central Europe? So we see (as has often been pointed out here) that in the Mediterranean the fate of Wes-tern Europe no less than that here it is not easy to see many.

and Greece, Russia's policy in the Mediterranean is a threat primarity to Italy and Both these great Latin countries have long been the objects of intensive __mining and sapping 'operations' carried from within by the Italian and

treacherously executing Moscow's At the moment Communism strength in both areas. still retains a great capacity for mischief, especially serious military factor-which I the main palace gate, with its throught its control over the trade unlons.

International

Uncertainty

And it owes this largely to Scrutator international uncertainty; to the feeling that at almost any time the streets of Rome or Paris It suggests a possibility, if no may resound to the tramp of

The original signatories in 'a Mediterranean Pact, therefore might be Turkey, Greece, Italy, France, Great Britain and the Today they are threatened United States-the first three

The Pact would run on parallel would join the Mediterranean Pact, or whether they would form one of their own.

The only Power besides Turkey which in that part of the world is On her left, after overcoming co-terminous with the Soviet Union Turkey, she would find the Arab is Persia; and she is at present world in no condition to resist the subject of joint vigilance by: and on her right, after Great Britain and the United

The Utility Emperor Speaks

By G. Ward Price

No living monarch has known

background. When I first met him in Gibralinr in 1921 he was the Crown Prince of Japan, representing a nation then allied to Britain, on questions about England. All he way in a Japanese battleship Japan had rejoiced at the birth of o visit King George V.

Tokio currounded by what I decribed as the "strictest royal He expressed the hope that his ource of governmental authority 15, altending what was formeriz but was venerated by his people the "Peers' School" in the suburbs

1, 1946, he issued an Imperial pro. Blyth, has taught him English.

The Japanese Emperor said

He talked in vigorous tones for moustache, and was wearing a bers of the Imperial Household luses. present were in more formal dress.

The timber-built pavillon where my last audience took place was burned down on May, 25, 1945 being set on fire during an airraid by sparks blowing across the broad moat that surrounds the farstretching, high-walled palace

grounds in the middle of Tokio. The Emperor lives in a 19-room ed European-style house in an other part of the wooded park, and receives visitors in what used to be the Imporial Offices, a chilly unimpressive, commercial type of

No pomp of guards or liveric:

The audience room is furnished with gilt French chairs and tables.

(Continued from Col. 6) mic conditions, locally. But un- acquitting Hirohito of responsiless I am greatly mistaken the bility for the war, on the ground whole Chinese '(and foreign) that he acted under the compulpopulation would breathe a sigh sion of the military clique which of relief at the sight of the rear- had obtained power, and most of leaving Shanghai. If the latter condemned as war criminals. are still to be regarded as a . That is why, as I drove out of doubt-they will live to fight great white guardhouse and another day in some terrain Cyclopoun walls of black stone where hostilities will not have (built when Shakespeare was such disastrous consequences on writing his plays), there stood the industrial and economic life on either side American and of China as a pseudo-battle for Australian sentrics protecting the the Shanghai area.

For the third time in close on Tand a bright red carpet, with 30 years I was today received which a magnificent, gaily painted 12-panelled golden Japanese screen and the traditional highly coloured wall hangings contrasted inconmore profound changes in his

Son's Future

Emperor Hirohito asked many the baby Prince, he said, adding: Sixteen years ago I had another "I pray for King George's carly private audience with him in and complete recovery from bin indisposition."

'tiquette in the world," at a time elder son, Crown Prince Tauguwhen he was the sole nomin now a sport-loving boy of

as being of divine descent and em- f. Tokio, might one day be able Today his position is that of con- can governess, Mrs. Vining, who, ititutional monarch. On January logether with a British tutor, Mr.

clamation rejecting as "false" the I asked whether the Emperor traditional claim that the Emperor himself looked forward to being able to renew his travels abroad. In giving himself this more de- "I should like to, of course," he No-one is less anxious than I nocratic status the Emperor told replied with a smile, "but under

"I was very grateful for the terity conditions to repair the

tome strongly Communist facftories. His friendly attitude to thusiasm-to quote an American didate running for Emperor." His private life is simple. He

neither smokes nor drinks, and he nower objected to his playing "foreign games."

Hirohito used also to ride in the nalace grounds, but lately he has devoted most of his leisure to his tobby of marine biology, which he follows eagerly at his seaside villa at Hayama, near Tokio.

The Emperor told me he hopes to produce a book on mol-

A Happier Man

Mantenance of the Emperor's position as head of the Japanese nation has proved a wise measure on the part of the Allies. His value as a barrier to the spread of Communism in this country may prove considerable. Those about him say he finds his present role more congenial than when he was surrounded with

all the ceremony of State. . . The Japanese Government, in | ninking their otherwise unconditional surrender on August 10,

Acceptance of this request, with the provise that the Emperor's authority should be subject to the Supreme Commander of the Allied Powers, is regarded as guard of the Nationalist forces whose members have since been

privacy of the Emperor of Japan.



CALDBECK MACGREGOR & CO., LTD., SOLE AGENTS

HONG KONG

Washington's Policy On China And Japan THE FAR EAST

Washington, March 13.

In Russian Orbit

Some authoritative sources

This would, of course, place

Japan almost automatically

within the Russian rather than

the United States orbit if

North China and Manchuria

retain their present political

Since it appears almost cer-

likely that important questions

If the current East-West con-

may have only two alternatives:

ward tourism and agriculture, or

Defence Plans

fence plans of the Western de-

mocracles is the other great

question mark. Some strategic

experts here believe that it

from the military standpoint to

make the Japanese, islands into

a nearly impregnable island for-

tress, providing that enough

money were spent and enough

troops and material allocated for

But there is some disagree-

ment apparent on to what ex-

tent this would be a good invest-

Information - received here

would indicate that many mill-

tary men now in Japan, includ-

ing General MacArthur him-

self, think it is worth the best

But there is some reason to

believe that the Army Secretary,

Kenneth Royall, and certain of his aides might differ. If it came to the question of either allowing Japanese to slip into the Communist sphere of influence or going the limit in men and

money to preserve the islands as 'he bastion of democracy in the Far East, the instincts of many Americans would favour defence

But the situation can pro-

bably not be reduced to these alternatives until the future of

the China government has been

decided, and it is a matter of

debate on how much, influence

the Western world can now hope

to exercise on that future. These

are few of the reasons behind current statements that the

United States has "no policy" in the Far East,—United Press.

Tour skin has nearly 50 million tiny seams and pores where germs hide and cause terrible Itching, Cracking, Ecsema, Peeling, Burning, Acne, Ringworm, Peoriasis, Blackheads, Pimples, Poot Itch and other blemishas. Ordinary treatments give only temporary relief because they do not kill the germ cause. The new discovery, Nixoderm kills the germs in 7 minutes and is guaranteed to give you a soft, clear, attractive, smooth skin in one week, or money back on return of ampty package. Get guaranteed Nixagerm from your chemist.

the purpose.

U.S. efforts.

at all costs.

probably be possible

The Japanese place in the de-

complexion.

ra-United States Government-faces-the-necessity-of-making-important decisions on Japan and China policy during the next few months which may well determine future political and economic orientation of the entire Far East.

CHINA IN GRIP OF INFLATION

Shanghai, March 12, China's money has gone wife again. Although the civil war has stagnated and peace hopes are strong, inflation is at a fast !

The paper Yuan has sunk so low that It takes 6,400 of them yesterday.

Because the largest denomination lately has been the \$100 bill (worth less than two cents) it has been hard for people manage again. It takes buiging pocketfuls to do any amount of marketing.

The \$500 bills are heginning to appear, but are not in general circulation yet.

Last August the Youn was i worth four to US\$1, but intely it has lost value even faster than the old Chinese National curwhich was abandoned to after it reached \$12,000,000 to US\$1,--Associated Press,

CHINESE BANK FILES SUIT

San Francisco, March 11. A breach of contract suit was filed today by the Central Bank furnish an ample clue to reasons the Asian mainland, some econoof China in a Federal district behind Mr. Acheson's reluctance mic exports think that Japan court against the Hyman to talk. Michaels Company of Chicago, The suit charged that the Chicago firm failed to pay \$1,085,-309 on the purchase of U.S. Army the South Pacific.

United Press.

U.S. POPULATION

Washington, March 11. today that the United States' population, increasing by 200,000 January 1.

births over deaths accunted for 91 markets Into consideration. But per cent of the increase and im- experts here ask how they can migration for hine per cent.— be expected to produce any firm

High Government officials here acknowledge that these decisions are now being formulated but they are reluctant to discuss them publicly for

several reasons: The rapid march of events in China paced by the advance of the Communist armies has created a fluid situation which makes longrange policy decisions most difficult until matters are stabilised.

2. There are some differ-these problems when the extent ences of opinion in high Gov- and nature of Communist doernment circles on Japan and mination in China is still un-China policy which must be re- known, conciled before a firm stand is given. At present the best into fetch one US dollar on the formation available would 'inopen market. So fast is the dicate that these differences do here point out that if urgent Yuan depreciating that interest not extend to basic matters and political and strategic questions rate for one day bit is per cent the recently much publicised are ignored and the Japanese question of whether the United economy left to evolve its own States should "abandon or de- salvation, the result would pro-

fend Japan."

High military officials and State sources of supply. Department officials have appear to agree that her defence is necessary for reasons both of military strategy and political prestige. But there is some evidence that these groups are not completely in accord even among themselves as to how this detence should be accomplished.

In view of these circum- tain that the United States and stances, it is easy for ob- other democratic nations can servers to say that the United not under present circumstances States has no policy in the Far afford to allow this, alternatives East, and many oditors and are being deligently sought, and columnists during the past few until they are found it is unweeks have said so. However, the Secretary of such as the future Japanese

State, Dean Acheson, probably level of industry and the precame closer to the truth of the dominant nature of the Island matter at a press conference re- economy can be answered, cently when he told reporters: "We have a Far East policy, but I do not wish to discuss it now." fliet continues and the political Some of the problems known to situation is such as to deprive confront Far East experts here Japan of trade opportunities with

Closely Linked

In the first place the United 2. Import industrial raw construction equipment located in States' Chinese and Japanese materials from the United States policy is perforce much closer and Europe. linked than many people realise. The suit is a counter-action Japan, as an industrial nation against a \$3,170,983 damage suit before the war, depended heavily filed with the superior court on Chinese and Manchurian raw against the Bank of the Hyman materials to keep her industries Michaels Company. The Central going. An important example Bank of China was accused of was coking coal for the Japanese partially reneging on the sale of steel industry, most of which \$92,000,000 worth of equipment came from Manchurian mines and turned over to the Chinese Gov- without which Japan would proernment by the U.S. Army.- bably never have become a great military power.

Secondly, one of the primary motivating forces behind the Japanese pre-war concept of the "Greater Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere" was the acquisition of The Census Bureau reported assured markets for the islands'

industrial output, Obviously, any long range plan monthly, reached 148,000,000 on for Japanese reconstruction must take, these two primary The Bureau said the increase of factors of raw materials and



SHIPPING

Agents CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD. BLUE FUNNEL LINE. AUSTRALIAN ORIENTAL LINE LTD.

AIRWAYS

General CATHAY PACIFIC AIRWAYS LTD. Agents AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL AIRWAYS LTD. SKYWAYS (FAR EAST) LTD.

and 🛶 BRITISH OVERSEAS AIRWAYS CORPORATION CHINA NATIONAL AVIATION CORPORATION Agents HONG KONG AIRWAYS

NORTH WEST, AIRLINES PAN AMERICAN WOBLD AIRWAYS PHILIPPINE AIRLINES

1 Connaught Road, C. Branch Office: 50 Connaught Road, West.

OPTIMISTIC Bright Prospects For World Peace

the Soviet Union.



ERNEST BEVIN.

HK TO ATTEND WEATHER TALKS

Manila, March 12. The Government today approved a proposal to hold conference of representatives of the weather services of Japan, China, Hong Kong, Siam, Indo-

China and the Philippines. They will discuss moons of improving systems of typhoon warnings to ports, ships and aircraft. The meeting is to be held in Mantla on or before April 1.

The meeting also will discuss the desirability of ladopting a more uniform system of typhoon warnings to replace varying systems in Far Eastern countries. United States Navy, United Sintes Air Force and British Navy meteorological officers will take part in the conference,-United bably be reorientation with its Press. pre-war Asian markets and

"If I gave that freedom to them—that there shouldbe no interference with them—I claim the same liberty for Britain," Mr. Bevin declared. Mr. Bevin, who was address- the efforts we are now making

London, March 11.

East London, was met with for each other. shouts-of "Up Israel" when the are blown, after the milio ma rose to speak, but later the mid its worst, people will come crowd heard him in silence. "I send no emissaries to Rus- two great organisms in the world sin to cause strife. I have no that must live together."

The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bavin, declared

in a speech in London tonight that he has no

quarrel at all with the Communist system in

After his speech, Mr. Bevin cells in the Russian trade union movement. Then why, in France, answered questions smid fre-Italy and other countries striv- quent interruptions. Asked why ing to get back on their feet, are Britain had spent £154 million they being continually interrupt- in Greece, Mr. Bevin replied: "So ed for political purposes and ag- far as Greece is concerned, the trouble there is a civil war prograndisement in Russia?" Mr. Bevin said that as a result moted by the Soviet Union. of the Marshall Plan, France is showing great recovery. Italy drowned by shouts of "Rubbish."

has also recovered. has been reduced in Germany. It had been said there are 4,000,000 armed men in the countries under Russian influence, Mr. Bevin declared.

Respect Ahead

we will not create an organ. Isation for aggression, but we will create an organisation to realst aggression should any. body else become an aggres-

Mr. Bevin then said: "Mark my words. You will find, when

ing a public meeting in his new in international affairs fructify. constituency of Woolwich, South that there will come a respect

"After the propaganda blasts to the conclusion that here are

The rest of his sentence was

Peace Prospects

Later Mr. Bevin added: "I am told even at this mument—that they intend to intensify it. The fact is that in Northern Greece people are not safe in their beds. We are ready in Greece, directly "My attitude has been-and the civil war ceases, to come out that is the Government's-that and let the Greeks have their

elections." Surveying world peace proepects, the Foreign Becretary sald that in the whole Amerisan continent there is not one country that would fight an-

On this side, all those who became members of the European Council would never fight one another. He hoped the day twould come when Germany will be in the Council and the ageold feud with France settled Corever.

He could not see any country In Africa which wants to fight unother, or which ever would. The new Dominions of Ceylon, India and Pakislan are moving tewards settlement.

In South East Asia and Indonesia there are difficulties, but they are being discussed .- Reu-

THIRTEEN DEAD IN EXPLOSION

Hanover, March 11. Thirteen workers, one an uninto the enemy lines in the identified woman, died and 86 were injured when an explosion shatter-British civilians, some Ameri- Myitnge, it said. It claimed ed a workshop today in the former cans and 82 members of the Bri- heavy casualties on the rebels in Hermann Goering steelworks at

A hammer, weighing several tons, used for breaking scrap, is In the Henzada district, about believed to have struck a shell or A Catalina aircraft has 80 miles North-West of Rangoon, a bomb. About 200 workers were in the shop at the time, and many were temperarily buried under

Mission to Burma are expected Mandalay-Maymyo road, ap- The evacuated wives and in Penang by air this evening.-

FIGHTING HEAVY MANDALAY

Rangoon, March 11. Heavy fighting raged tonight between Government troops and Karen insurgents in the outskirts of Mandalay, the ancient capital of Burma, ac-

cording to latest reports reaching here. Telegraphic communications circled at Myltnge to the South. with Mandalay have been cut. A communique earlier stated that the Karens were attacking Government troops 13 miles North of Mandalay after their occupation of the nearby Army centre of Maymyo on Wednes-

goon by air, including 46 wo- and Bassein. 1. To reorient her economy men and children.

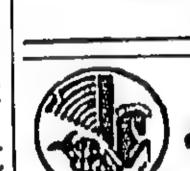
away from heavy industry toclined to be evacuated.

Karens are advancing along the of Insein. parently to relieve a force en- families of the British Service Reuter.

The communique claimed the Government is in control of all the Areas between Toungoo and Meitlia --- Central Burmese towns about 140 miles apart, lying between Mandalay and Rangoon. Government troops advanced

One hundred and twenty-two Kyaukse district, . South of Ush Service Mission have been clashes near' Maubin in the Ir- Salzgitter. evacuated from Maymo to Ran- rawaddy Delta between Rangoon

evacuated eight British civilians two small towns have been refrom Mandalay. Others have de- | cccupied. 'The communique' added that Karen and Communist the debris -Reuter. An official spokesman of the rebels are concentrating the Hmaubi, about 15 miles North



Air France

6-8 CHATER PD.

SKYMASTERS

Travel Comfort Means

More Business Opportunity

Relax during your journey to United

Kingdom in a comfortable spacious

Arrive refreshed and able immedi-

Leaving Hong Kong

Arriving United Kingdom

HONG KONG AIRWAYS

IN CONJUNCTION WITH-B.O.A.C.

HONG KONG—SHANGHAI

Every Mon., Wed. & Saturday

HONG KONG-CANTON

Four Times Daily

HONG KONG - MANILA

Every Wednesday

For further Information

General Agents:

Telephones 27765 & 27766

and bookings apply to the

every Tuesday and Friday.

Saturday and Tuesdays

B.O.A.C. Flying Boat.

ntely to attend to your business.

CONNECT HONGKONG, TWICE WEEKLY, WITH

SAIGON £ 28-0-0 PARIS £173-0-0

AIRWAYS DEPT.

LONDON £175-0-0

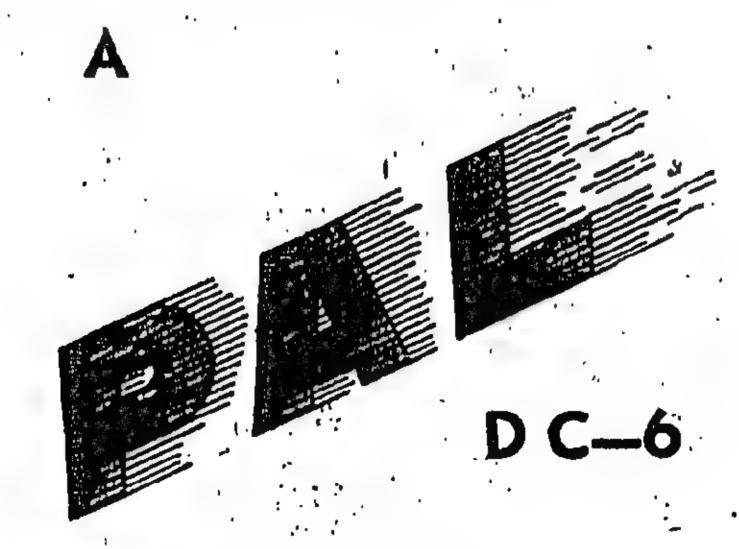
NEW-YORK

QUEEN'S BUILDING

TEL. 26651

£256-15-0

IN ANOTHER MINUTES



WILL BE 25 MILES FURTHER ACROSS THE PACIFIC!



HONGKONG_LONDON

via AMSTERDAM BOOKINGS ACCEPTED FOR ANY EUROPEAN DESTINATION

Also through bookings via Amsterdam to: BERMUDA, HAVANA, ARUBA, CURACAO, VENEZUELA, COSTA RICA on S.A.F.E.'s South American Service. BRAATHENS S.A.F.E. AIRTRANSPORT A/S.

ARRIVALS		,	1.		DE	PARTU	RES
13/3				• •		15/3	
20/3			• •	• •		22/3	
28/3		• •			• •	30/3	1
4/4	• • .	• •	•	• •	• •	6/4	
12/4	• •		• •	٠.	• •	14/4	
19/4	• •	• •	• • .	• •	• •	21/4	·
27/4 3/5	•••	• • •	• •		• • •	29/4 5/5	
May May		. Etmadad	. a Dog	Telman.	Amalas	·	• •

For Passage & Freight Bookings Apply to:

Hong Kong & Shanghai Bank Bldg.

Controlled Heat Timing devices cool cleanliness with fast efficiency no flames, no fumes, and low current consumption in the smartest of kitchen ranges! That's why people buy Hotpoint!

Range



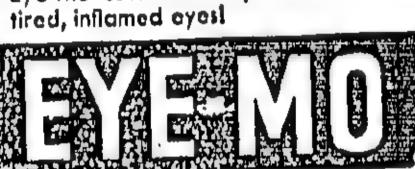
Distributors: GRAY BROTHERS

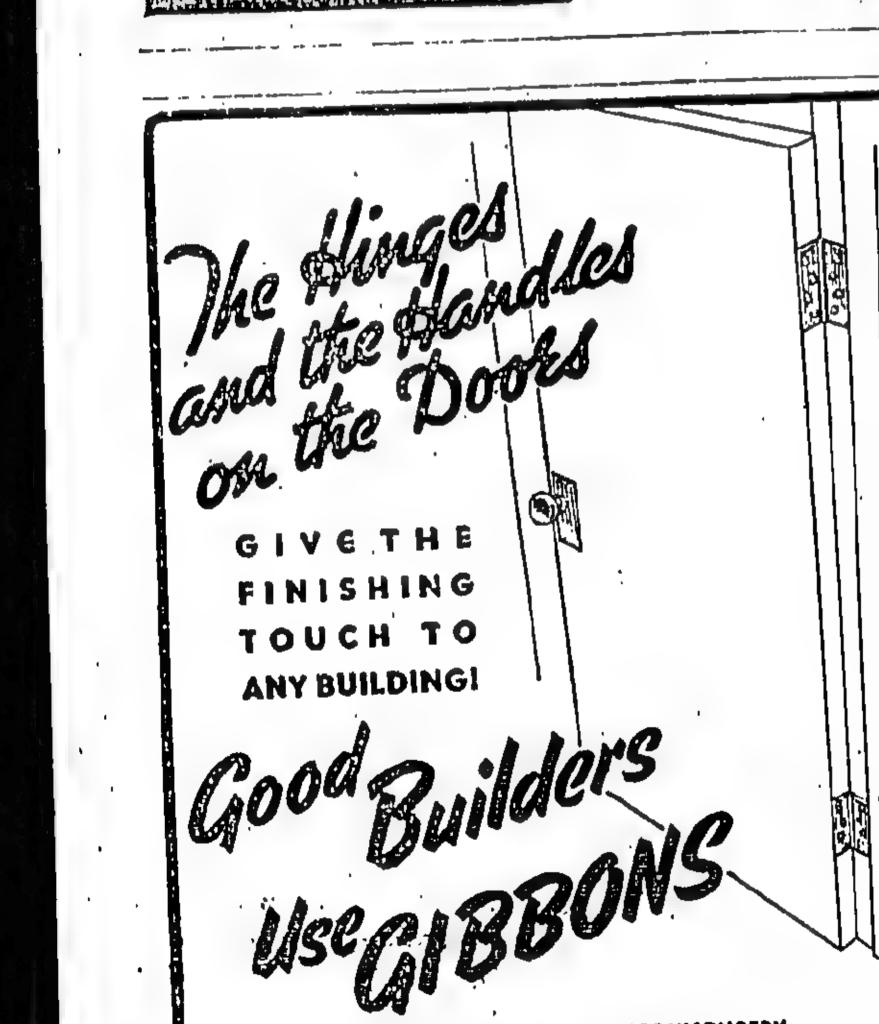
HERE'S SOMETHING NEW... For Tired, Irritated Eyes!

. Here's comething new in eyelutions! Eye-Mo, the quick relief for tired, inflamed eyes, comes ready for instant use in its own patented glass dispenser. This hygienic Eye-Mo dispenser is so designed that it keeps Eyn-Mo constantly free from all contamination.

Human hundsnever touch Eye-Mo. There's nothing to mix, no fuss or muss -no separate dropper that's so hard to keep clean. Eye-Mo is completely germ-free and safet

The Eye-Mo dispenser delivers one drop at a time-for accurate dosage and no wastel You get your full money's worth, Every drop of Eye-Mo counts with quick relief for

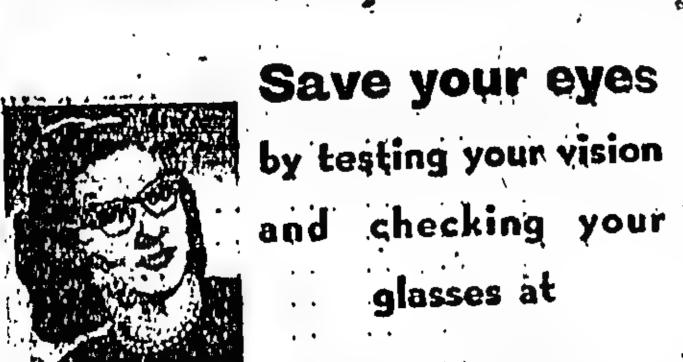




STEEL WINDOWS, BUILDING INCHMONGERY FOR GOOD BUILDINGS

A, DES YOEUX RD

COMPANY LIMITED TEL. 31146



67 Queen's Road, C.

BRITISH AUTHOR SAYS:-

Now York, March 11. Noither the United States nor Russia have many

Asia In Revolt

Payne opposes the American

military occupation of Japan

and reports that the Philip.

pines suffers under an Ameri-

can-imposed "foudal govern-

ment." He uses out-of-date

figures in an effort to show

America has done almost no-

THING to promote - landsmaless

He criticises General George

China. He remarks that

C. Marshall's mediation efforts

Chlin's real hope had been in

her middle-of-the-road elements.

was precisely these elements that

There is no reason why that re-

fully, or in Indonesia.

He neglected to mention that

strengthen.

real friends in the world. An English writer says so, and thinks that in their coming war they will have to fight it out practi-

cally alone. The United States is a much sand stories published in the less sinister force than the So- sense that viet Union, according to Robert | meant them. Payne's book "Report on America." But America shares Russia's habit of making enemies and if their war spreads to other countries it will be against the expressed or unexpressed will of the populations of those countries.

countries that ... have naked power to . heights of efficiency, more ruthless and more destructive than any power that has yet existed, will be freed with a silent and hestile world only too happy at the thought that the glants will destroy one another."

American readers will pleased with the many kind words Payre has for their country, and are not apt to dispute many of his criticisms of Amerrean failings.

Payne finds fault with America domestically-her troubles in thre relations, her films and her economic fallings.

About U.S. relations with Asia, Payne betrays himself by repowerless to have their reports published without the whole lenor of the report suffering by being edited in the New York iffices. Such editorial perverdone have perhaps occurred, but for every news story Payne can the there can be shown a thou-

STALIN GETS A PAT ON BACK

Moscow, March 12. "Pravda," the Soviet Communist Party newspaper, said today that the principles of Soviet foreign policy, formulated by Generalissimo Stalin. have assured the victory of the day. foreign policy of the USSR.

In an editorial on the tenth unniversary of the opening of the Party, the newspaper said: posals and those of the Treaty agreement on them. "Comrade Stalin's report at the of St. Germain, of September 10, example of Marxist-Leninist Republic of Austria. scientific foresight."

situation and changes it in the Minister. interests of the working people, has been enhanced.-Reuter.

\$1.35 per tin

Quaker Days

WHOLE-GRAIN OATS ARE

NATURE'S IDEAL FOOD FOR BABY

Whole-grain oats - Quaker Oats - is

the best patural cereal source of food-

iron, protein, foodenergy, and Vitamin

B1, elements that provide strength for

growth, help guard haby's health. Give

your baby the nourishing help of Quaken

Oats feedings every day.

Categoric Assurance To Britain

Tel Aylv, March 11. in reply to a British inquiry about the altuation at Akaba, Israel has given a optogorio assurance that the Jaws have not transgressed, are not transgressing, and do not intend to transgrees on Transjorday territory, Moshe Sharett, Israell Foreign Ministor, said today.

He told correspondents that no inquiries had been made by the United States and that Russia evinced no active intorest.-Associated Press.

********** Counsel Startles

Des Moines, March 12. Carl J. Stephens, counsel for December, 1948. the Iowa Farm Bureau, startled Committee of State Legisla- that the decision to reinforce pig cholera serum.

Marshall tried, unsuccerriully, to i Expressing the opinion that maceutical Association that Asia is undergoing the greatest re- the bottle of a serum were volution that has ever occurred, broken on the floor it could he claims that it continues almost spread disease among many unnoticed by the daily press, people, Mr. Stephens picked up the bottle and drank its con-

volution should not be accom- tents. The Form Bureau is seeking plished for the most part peacethe passage of a bill to permit That reasoning sounds stronge its subsidiaries to sell the serum at a time when U.S. headlines and other products without tell of fighting in Indonesia, and supervision by pharmacists. The Iowa Supreme Court rerival editorialists battle

about American policy in In- cently ruled that pharmacists newspapermen in Asia are often donesia, China and Japan.—Unit- would have to be employed for

Russia Prolongs

London, March 11. Mr. George Zakubin, Soviet Ambassador to London, and representative at the four-power Austrian treaty talks, prolonged the conference by requesting a written statement of Britain's proposed guarantee of special minority rights to Mr. James Marjoribanks, the are a serious matter and that to 650 and 1,100 men in the Israeli Israeli troops have crossed the Slovenes of Carinthia.

British delegate, promised to hurry a final settlement might Army). submit the statement on Mon- be harmful.

Congress is a splendid 1919, between the Allies and the

It had been thought that the treaty talks faced an early "Pravda" said, the significance of Dr. Ales Bebler, Yugoslav De-by repetition.

"Box is result of this force digging in provide and the significance of Dr. Ales Bebler, Yugoslav De-by repetition.

"The Israeli force digging in ranted claims are not validated near Akaba has a small number of light tanks. It is not known by repetition. international force, which in- puty Foreign Minister, and Dr. fluences the entire international Karl Gruber, Austrian Foreign M. Zakubin said today that

Yugoslavia's claims on Austria

The Soviet delegate sought the session discussing the statements frontier, and the other made a contact with the British troops left to be settled within two statement to clarify the relation- by Dr. Bebler and Dr. Gruber, ship between the present pro- without progressing toward an reports said,

was the more registion

Mr. Samuel Reber (USA) said Akaba. As a result of this foresight, breakdown following the un- incorrect premises and unwar- The Israeli force digging in

The Yugoslav demand for autonomous Slovene area inside Austria could remove from efsective Austrian control an even greater area than that covered by former Yugoslav claims, he asserted.

The American delegate thinks the Western deputies' recom- fame by their flerce fighting for mendation offers a positive solu- Lawrence of Arabia against the

peace in this troubled area .--

BRITAIN TO INCREASE

London, March 11. Britain has decided to reinforce the British garrison at Akaba, the Transjordan port at the head of

the Gulf of Akaba. The British unit concerned will be transferred from the Canal Zone of Egypt in the immediate future. An official announcement from London may be expected this week-end.

A contingent of British troops, known as "Oulton's Force," was sent to Akaba last Jahuary, following a request made by the Transjordan Government for military assistance under the Anglo-Transjordan Alliance of 1948.

request followed the of casualties on the Israeli offensive against the roops,

town of Jenin.

informed

jordan charges of Israeli incur-

Transjordan port of Akaba on

In Tel Aviv, the Israeli For-

eign Minister, Mr. Moshe

Sharett, accused the Arab Legion

the Israeli frontier, 25 miles

North of the Gulf of Akaba, but

dismissed it as a minor incident.

Shots were fired but no one was

miles into Transjordan territory.

Assurance Given

said. Israel had assured the

Novertheicss, iargel still con-

siders their presence in Akaba

Israell Foreign Minister said:

"The entire israeli Negev is in

our hands and I hope it is well

In London, the Minister of

State, Mr. Hector McNeil, told

Parliament today that the Bri-

tish force at Akaba could call on

that a call will be made, except

in the contingency of a direct

threat to our forces, which we

earnestly hope will not occur."

EXPLOSIVE FIND

An explosive machine has been

of the French Communist Party.

Paris, March 11.

"I think it is not anticipated

every available support.

guarded."

-Reuter.

There is no further news of

wounded, he said,

area of Southern Palestine in Observers in London assume

tors by gulping down a bottle of the British garrison was, made following the Israeli occupation To refute a statement by yesterday of the counsel for the Iowa Phar- coastline adjacent to the Trans- Orders for the execution of the maceutical Association that if jordan frontier, at the head of Laraeli-Transjordan preliminary

at Rhodes today of a cease fire prepared, between Israel and Trans- stated, incident jordon, no military Transjordan frontier, the occup- Paul John, personal representa- main artery will be cleared up. ation in strength by Israel of the tive of Dr. Ralph Bunche, United "The obstruction is there and Southern Negev has been expect- Nations acting Mediator. Dr. as long as it remains there caned here to lend to a strengthen- John, who left Rhodes by air not be any prospect of full reing of British dispositions in today to investigate the Trans- covery."-United Press.

A force of several hundred sions across the frontier, is ex-Transfordan. Israeli soldiers was tonight dig- pected to arrive at the Southern ging in the desert about one and a half miles from the Akaba Saturday. perimeter, where British troops are on the alert for any attack, according to the latest military authoritative of sending a small patrol across quarters in Cairo.

Lawrence's Men

The information contains no suggestion of an attack on Akaba, where there are three United Nations observors. According to reports received

by authoritative quarters in the Egyptian capital, two Israeli columns were moving Southward in the Negev Desert on February 25.-each of about a battalion strength. (This varies between firmly

moved down the desert road in confined to Israeli territory, Deputies spent all this morning's Palestine near the Transjordan Israeli troops had made

Mr. Majoribanks 'said the the casualties are unknown. One any Austrian statement yesterday of the Arab forces withdraw these British troops. Northwards into Transjordan while the other fell back on

if the force has artillery.

Several hundred Arab tribesmen harassed the Israeli forces during the fighting near the Transjordan frontier in the past few days, according in Amman tonight.

Most of the Arabs belonged, the Huwelint tribe, who which would strengthen Turks during the 1914-1918 was Tribesmen operating with the Arab. Legion inflicted a number

PREPARING FOR KING'S OPERATION

London, March 11. Court circles said today that the Royal physicians have started preparations for the operation to relieve the circulatory trouble in .King George's

Nurses who will attend the Royal invalid have arrived at Buckingham Palace and hospital Egyptian troops in the Negev Travellers reaching Amman couldment is being installed. The from Samaria, Contral Paids operation Will be performed with tine, report what they dos- in the next few days. Court cribed as extensive troop doctors do not believe that the movements on the scators of King will be confined to bed for the Iraqi front, about 17 miles more than 10 days or a fortnight

West of the "Arab Trlangle" after the surgery. However, the dectors hold little hope that it would bring Orders for the execution of the about complete recovery. One informant said: "The oper-Though, following the signing Rhodes today, are now being ation is to create a new reservoir sources for the supply of blood to smaller arteries to restore circulation to The orders are being prepared the right foot. This does not "ready to be attested" by Dr. mean that the condition in the

Old Land Quarrel Patched Up

Prague, March 12. Poland and Czechoslovakia have agreed to drop their '30-It was near this point on the year-old quarrel over the borfrontier that the Amman au- | der area of Teschen, a Czech yesterday charged Foreign Office spokesman imisraeli forces with driving five plied tonight.

Teschen, or the Olza, puzzled peace-makers in 1919-20. Poland lighting in the Southern Negev. has racial claims on the area, and Czechoslovakia economic The Israeli Foreign Minister, ones. In 1938, after Munich, that Poland incorporated part of the

said! Since 1945, the old quarrel has March 8, one column their movements are strictly been revived, but under the no 1947, territorial questions were

Tonight, the Czech spokesman. On that day, the Arab Legion British Government some days implied without making a formal engaged both Israeli forces, but ago that there is no question of statement, that such matters are Israeli initiative against now governed by a mutual Comship and co-operation.

Prague newspapers will toadded. morrow print messages of mutual Emphasising that Okaba port amity to celebrate the second anis in Transfordan territory, the niversary of the treaty.-Reuter,

New Recovery

Washington, March 12. The ECA today announced US\$8,884,000 in recovery nuthorisations, but accompanied them with \$863,000 in decreases to make the day's net gain

The announcement said the grand total to date is \$4,780,745,-000, being a decrease due to bookkeeping adjustments, Authorisations by countries

Austria \$13,000. Bizone Germany \$2,000,000, Denmark \$96,000 with a decrease of \$96,000, French An explosive machine has been Zone of Germany \$600,000, Greece discovered underneath the offices \$5,78,000, Ireland \$3,158,000 a def the French Communist Party. cross of \$250,000, Italy no in-Police are examining the ma- crosse but a decrease of \$450,000, chine and are investigating to the Netherlands \$444,000 with a find out who placed it.—Associated decrease of \$67,000. — United



SPORTS JACKETS various Scotch Tweeds. Smart plain and fancy colour-

Prices: FROM \$90.00 ea. AERTEX SPORTS SHIRTS Collar attached, short sleeves.

White and colours.

NATURE'S

MONDER

POOD

Prices: FROM \$17.60 ea. SLIPOVERS Pure wool, sleeveless. In all popular colours.

Price \$17.50 ea. TROPICAL SUITINGS good variety of the most popular colours and designs. Prices: FROM \$22.00 yd.



DAKS WORLD FAMOUS For Sport And Leisure, Now available in Grey Worsted Flannel, Gabardine, an excellent quality linen and in new tropical worsteds. All sizes in stock.

PRICES: LINEN \$75.00 OTHER MATERIALS \$81.00 PAIR.

"AERTEX" UNDERWEAR Vests—sleeveless or with short sleeves, also Trunk Drawers. Prices: PROM

LEATHER SHOES Made, in Northampton, England. In brown willow calf, and sucdo. Good value. Price: \$40.00 pair

SHIRTS Fine quality popling in new self-colours of Blue, Grey, Belge, etc. Price \$27.50 es.

"METROPOLE"

Hest London Makes, in various stripes also in misoplianeous a colourings. atyles and all popular colours. Prices: \$26.50 TO \$47.50 ea.



the Same Quality -Quantity --- Greater!

Think of it—18% per cent more of this cool, clean, fresh, After-Shave Lotion in every bottle! 20-30 more applications for you

Constantly greater sales makes this possible at no increase

Obtainable at leading stores and dispensaries. Bole Agents:

in Prague and accepted Com-

self has passed wearlly from the

scene and with him the liberal,

democratic traditions with which

the Czechs emerged from the

Benes was the middle-of-the-road

transformation during the past

It used to be said that the

Czecha "think with the West, but

feel with the East." It was the

natural outlook of a Slav country

coastline and exposed frontlers-

coon the great power in the East.

Today under the Communists,

Cyccheslovakia is being made to

A New Fabric

control of his country.



Argentine Wage Earners Behind Peron Regime

gentine think of his Govern-

ment? To answer that, one would have to define the average Argentine-and there is no such person. In this country class lines are very sharply drawn.

At one pole, there is the immensely weathy land-owning oh- ens be regarded no representing garchy, still living and thinking in the opinion of the whole, not yet been entirely assimilated present Government,

stowaways found aboard.

expensive pest at that.

such as there is in England which

A. ROWLAND **THOMAS**

semi-feudal style, and at the other. That being the case, the opinion a pole apart, there is a great of each class must be sought mass of poones, farm and factory separately. Of the signrehy, a workers and casual labourers of term applied approbability by the all kinds. The intermediate white- impporters of the Peron regime to collar class of office workers and [the wealthy and concervative land shop employees can scarcely be lowners and certain professional considered average masmuch as, classes, it is safe to say that they being largely the descendants of are practically ununuous in their European immigrants, they have dislike of and opposition to the

The things men dare for free- Recently there was a case where pulsory under the law, working sentable, earns only one-third of Here is a Pole who stows away a home port in a vessel bound for kinds of free medical and educas same bank who does not have to in a timber freighter at Danzig. India. Their presence on board tional facilities provided. If the bother about appearance, For 14 days he endures agonles of was discovered, and the ship de- cost of living has risen higher than If the foreign resident in Arhunger and thirst, trapped in a viated from course in order to land the level of wages, they ignore it. genting has any strong opinion tiny space under the deck cargo, them at Gibraltar.

itself to the crew, throwing a reached Bombay.

Thinking Of Stowing Away?

He knocks pitcously to be re- accepted one of the men, but and they are content. For in public, As most of the foreignleased. Nothing, can be done, objected that the other two had them, President Peron can do ers here are engaged in trade of The timber appeal he shifted while the property to identify them. The timber cannot be shifted while no papers to identify them. On no wrong and his wife, Dona one kind or another they natural-

master, who, under the Merchant to go-ashore. Needless to say, public benefactor. Shipping Act of 1894, is respon- they hopped over the side as soon sible for the treatment of all as his back was turned. The police picked themoup and lodged Whatever one's sympathies in them under guard. In the end, the case, the fact romains that feeding them, keeping them and stowaways in general are a pest to paying their return passage cost the shipping companies, and an the shipping Company between £300 and £400.

What does the average Ar-1 ata the country, is other words (there is no great middle class, or Social Justice, they have even lanny of their orivileges disappear, their essectimerense as a brenult of their being obliged by law to provide better housing and working conditions for their employees and their taxes mount in contribution to a programme with which they have no sympathy, They could hardly be expected to

Stifled Opposition

Their opposition, however, is confined to muted marmarings and innuendo and it is perhaps charpeteristic of their class that they turnly, the entire nation is being are either too it tharple or too given a new social-economic fabric pu (Panimou) to stand up openly for their convictions.

people at the other end of the pele, maintenance of the old standard, proved their "loyalty" They has solidly and whole- Also, there are some inequalities, practice and whose judgments heartedly behind President Peron arising out of social legislation, have shocked some communists and his Government. And with which cause discontent. For inst as much as they have done good repeat, for wages have tisen, tance, a clerk in a bank, who has foreign observers. Christmas bonuses are com- to keep himself neat and prethree Englishmen stowed away at hours have been shortened, and all the wage of the Janitor in the Nothing doing. The authorities than they ever had before ful, as a foreigner, not express it they went with the ship to the Maria Eva Duarte de Peron, ly are somewhat irked by the munists, unlike their fellows in It would be a reversal of policy suffering communicates Person Gulf. Eventually they instigator of many social reforms many restrictions now placed on other "new democracies", enjoyed which, according to report, has and self-accorded champion of the their activities and, on occasion, a mass following as the largest already produced some dissension

> on the Government is divided. The ready to admit that General Peron of civil liberties, a majority of the man S.E.D. Congress in Berlin banefits obtained under the Social is a great Argentine patriot who, nation was behind them in their was no accident. Sooner or later Justice programme are appreciat- though not always happy in his oconomic aims and their ruthless a new line on Germany will omerge ed, but in this class the discrep- choice of collaborators and ad- treatment of "class enemies" and and certainly the Russians would ancy between the cost of living visers, is making an honest effort "saboteurs." and the increase in wages is more to bring to Argenting the esteem do not mean an improvement in times believe are rightfully hers. I that the political and economic "arsenal of the East."

abandoned his efforts to mend to the rigid Soviet pattern already studied. the shattered fabric of parlia- applied to the aix other Communistmentary conlition government ruled countries in Russia's sphere

Russia Marks Out A Role

munist demands which gave the In that 12 months, Bones him-

cramped confines of the Hapsburg have been, the "dictatorship of the proletariat," Politically, the Communists are leader steeped in the progressive supreme, with all opposition

liberalism of European reform, brusquely removed, They could—they did—enrry a Today, Klement Gottwald, agriculturn' worker's son, life-long Com- large body of non-Communist opinmunist and head of the Commun- ion with them in a policy of close, postwar coalition which friendly co-operation with Soviet

Their attempts, after February, one alternative, strove vainly to preserve, presides over the destin- to complete the old coalition's Two 12 million Czechs and Years Plan for reconstruction-and Slovaks from the mullioned win- | social improvement were supported dows of the Castle on the hill high by many outside the Party ranks who still hoped their civil libertles,

The change is symbolic of the would be left alone. But the purge and the hunting out of "political unreliables" which has gone on throughout the year, to assist the industrialisation of vizorously directed by thousands backward allies and, by means of of big and small Communist action rapid expansion of coal and steel committees with sweeping powers output, to create, with Poland, a in every walk of life, has disillu- "little Ruhr" able to meet all with Western traditions—but no signed and alienated many would- Eastern needs, . be middle class suporters of modewhich could, however, never be trate, progressive government as anything but largely dependent well as discouraging numbers of the regime's own Party followers.

Bourgesis officials, professional think as well as feel with the East, | men and artists unable to establish in "positive attitude towards the revolutionary drive of the new regime were expelled, new panels Politically, industrially and cul- of university lecturers and professors established, new benches of professional and "people's judges," all selected for their political reliability, set up in courts whence trial by jury has been abolished, No such inhibitions beset the the standard of living but only the where only lawyers who have

Limited Liberties

A high Communist official in a conversation the other day endeaveared to defend all this with an explanation that it was "impossi-At present, they have more money about the Government he is care- ble to allow unlimited civil liberties at the transitional stage towards

He said that the Czech Com- to return.

noticeable. Here, increased wages and greatness which all Argen- It is against this background labour to strengthen their chosen

A year ago President Benes of revolutionary design according falignment with Russia must be

A very small participant before the war, Russia getting something like 17 per cent of Czech trade when the Communista took over. These are the "people's demo- By the end of 1949, Russia's share Party instant and complete cracies"-more readily today ad- had been stopped up to 19 per cent. mitted in official Communist circles This year it will be 23 per cent to be what in fact they always and bigger increases are scheduled in the Flvp Years Plan.

Russia has also rewarded the Communists with gold and a loan -reportedly worth 7,000 million crowns (235 million), the greater part of it in sterling-to help most current shortages of dollars and pounds which are soverely hampering the quest for essential raw materials-iron ore, coloured metals, cotton and hides in hard urrency areas.

These recuirements, which cannot satisfactorily be met in the East, explain why, even by 1953. the Ozerlandill expect 55 the cont of their trade to he done in the

Ranta wants Czechoslovakia to fill the economic vacuum left by Germany and become the great surplier of the peasant, bloc in Eastern Europe into which the Reich once poured its goods.

She wants Czech heavy industry

Acute Difficulties

To succeed, the Czecha must not only sustain, their trade ties with with the West. They must overcome acute difficulties arising from shortages of skilled manpower and technicians and inadequate organization in industry.

Daily the papers print columns of advertisements from factories crying out for hands, from plants at a standatill for want of machinery and resorting even to the wanted columns to pick up some essential piece of equipment to keep things going.

When the Czechs expelled 3.-000,000 Germans they not only threw out the quislings but tens of thousands of their most highly skilled workmen as well.

There are still between 100,000 and 150,000 Germans left here three years after they were due for excussion. The Czechs won't erumble if they stay. In the end they may only solve their difficulties by asking some of the others

great burden of unxiety on the liere the master forbade them underprivileged, they hall as a have not hesitated to make public single parliamentary party before in preliminary cabinet discussion. protest. But they, like the great February and claimed that today, But the presence of a Czech. In the intermediate class, opinion | mass of the Argentine people, are | for all the "inevitable" restrictions | Communist delegation at the Gerbe the last to demur if it entailed the recovery of skilled German



Only the best workmanship goes into your Pyc Radio

PYE IS GUARANTEED FOR 12 MONTHS!

(Valves 3 months.)

GILMAN & COMPANY LTD. RADIO DEPARTMENT

Gloucester Areade

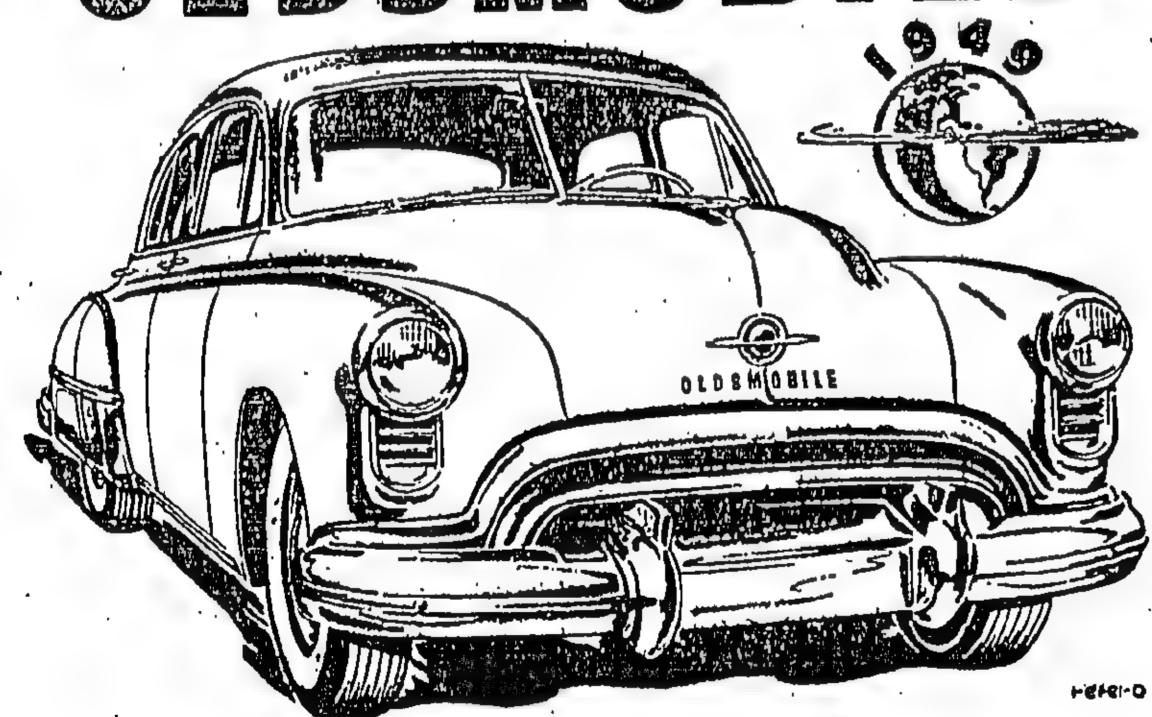
Tel. 27017.

not feeling From the very first glass you feel new energy stirring and a desire to be up and about There are no drugs in JUST A Wincornis-only nourish-REMINDER * ing extracts added to rich full-bodied wine, to build Wincarnia makes you up nerve strength and enfit and KEEPS YOUFIT! rich the blood. Wincarnis is concentrated goodness as thousands of medical recommendations testify. WINE OF LIFE.

Sole Agents:-

DODWELL

& CO., LTD.



GLOUCESTER ARCADE FROM MONDAY, 14th MARCH.

They Come! The New Futuramics!

THE NEW THRILL IN PERFORMANCE ROCKET OLDSMOBILE

This is the engine you've heard so much about—a completely new, high-compression, valve-inhead eight that actually gives you more power on less gasoline! Combined with GM Hydra-Matic Drive and Whirlaway, the "ROCKET'S" performance is so incredibly smooth, silent and spirited, you've got to try it to believe it! Your Oldsmobile dealer invites you to inspect the new Futuramics—examine the new 'ROCKET" -- experience "THE NEW THRILL!"

The all-new "ROCKET" Engine offers all these features: Rigid-Block Valve-in-Head Construction; Dual Down-Draft Carburction; Five-Bearing Precision-Balanced Crankshaft; Hydraulic Valve Lifters; Short Sturdy Camshaft; Steel-Reinforced Alloy Pistons. The result: incredible smoothness spectacular power!

Hydra-Matic Drive-Standard On All "98" and "88" Models, Optional at Extra Cost On "76" Models.

TRIANGLE TRADING COMPANY

FEDERAL INC., U.S.A.

601, HOLLAND HOUSE, HONG KONG.

TELEPHONE: 25421

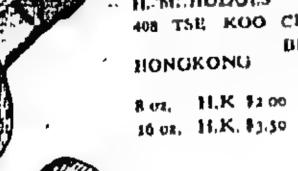
SevenSeaS helps recovery

from illness

You know how weak you feel after an illness like fever, You are easily tired and have no energy. SevenSeaS Cod Liver Oil is a wonderful supplier of vital energy because is is a pure easily digested fat,' It also contains the vitamins which help to build up natural resistance to disease, SevenSeaS is pleasant tasting and easy to take. And it will soon move that tired feeling and give you vigour.



In hottles containing 6, 1, or 16 fluid ounces. You can also get SévenSeaS en gelatine capsules in tuber con-Jaining from 25 capcules, If you cannot Ret SevenSeaS write to our agent t 408 TSE KOO CHOY HONGKONG



£3,920

AT AGE 55

Suppose you are not over 45, this is the | Ca,000 FOR YOUR PARELT plan (for women it is slightly varied). Should you not live to age 58, your family Bun Life of Conede. At \$5 year will re- make only one payment. reive £3,120 plus accumulated dividends— INCOME TAX SAVED are available at a later aga-

Ten make agreed regular payments to the will receive 4:3,000, even if you live to or £240 a year for life and accumulated On every payment to the Company year dividends. If you are over 45 the benefits receive the appropriate rebate of Income

By filling up and sending the enquiry form you can obtain details suited to your personal requirements. The plan covers all amounts of savings from as little as £1 per month, and the cash or pension can In most cases commence either at 50, 55, 60, or 65.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE CO. OF CANADA

(Incorporated in Canada in 1865 as a Limited Company) 217-220 GLOUCESTER BLDG., HONG KONG. Tel. 31211.

I should like to know more about your Plan as advertised, without theurring any obligation.

(Mr., Mrs., or Miss) ADDRESS

OCCUPATION Exact date of birth

FOR YOU

uncle of Bao Dai, now living in

obtain national independence. Nguyen An Kang said Bao Dal is egain serving as a puppet of the

O searched a Chinese junk on sus- parts of the French Union. picton that it was a pirate or gun runner, but found Kwangtung China in Vietnam is necessary arrangement to replace ties with Provincial troops on board. The for Vietnam's future," M. Coste the French Union if these ties French Consul, Paul V. Aud, in- Floret said, formed the Ministry of Foreign Affairs that the search was a mistake due to a misunderstand-

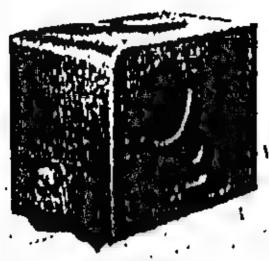


NEW ACADEMY FILMOSOUND

This new Bell & Howell model has the light weight and low cost that everyone wants in a motion picture projector without sacrifice of those qualities and features that have made Filmosounds the overwhelming choice. The New Academy is 20 pounds lighter than previous Filmosounds. Yet its powerful amplifier provides double the sound output of any other truly light-weight sound film projector.

NEW SINGLE-CASE FILMOSOUND

For the last word in compactness and portability. see this new B&H-quality Filmosound. Complete in a single case, it is even smaller, lighter, and lower In cost than the New Academy. Yet it offers a most generous sound output - double that of other small sound film projectors.



Call on us for a Demonstration

FILMOBDEPOT

3rd floor, Marina House

Telephóne 32153.

Agents for: BELL & HOWELL COMPANY,

FRANCE REFUSES NEGOTIATE VIETMINH

Paris, March 11. The Prime Minister, M. Henri Queuille, told the National Assembly today that Franco is willing to negotiate with almost all rebol elements in Vietnam, except the Communist Vietmish. M. Queuille said he hopes that Bao Dai, ex-Emperor

considered a traitor.

mained 'silent.

Government hopes

M. Queuille, speaking in the

debate on a bill to set up

Cochin China Territorial Assem-

bly to decide whether Cochin

China should fuse with Vietnam

was applauded by the right and

isls, who are in his Cabhrer, it

M. Paul Coste Floret, Minister

of Overseas France, said the

spiritual families of Victnam will

themselves

"France will not raise any ob-

bassadors in China, Slam and

other capitals, French diploma-

Heavy Casualties

There would be a Vietnam

Army and a French Union

Army, both commanded it

wartime by a French officer

with a Vietnam officer as one

The strengths of the two

armies and the list of French

bases in 'Vietnam would be fix-

Vietnam courts would have full

of his Chiefs of Staff.

(Annam, Tonkin and

of Annam, will do the same. France, he declared, can nego-| The Vietminh Radio, he said. tiate with those who have no had announced that anyone who other aim than the liberty and negotiates with France will be independence of their country, but not with those who refuse to co-operate with France.

ATTACK FORECAST

Canton, March 12. Ho Bao Dal, He confirmed that in Chi-min, President of the Viet- the agreement, signed by M. Vinnam Republic, are expected to cent Auriol, the President of the begin a general counter-offen- day, France undertakes to pre- excuse to eliminate political sive against French troops in sent Vietnam's candidature for foes. Indochina, it is reported reli- membership of the United Naably from Lungchow, Western tions.

Kwangsi. The report states Ho Chi-min stacle to the unity of the three has trained 200,000 troops to upset | Kys" the arrangement between the Cochin China), he said. Viet-French Government and ex-Em- nam, he said, would have Amperor Bao Dai.

The Vietnam National Recovery the Vatican, whose credentials Association, which claims to con-| would be signed by both sist of all Annamite political head of the State of Vietnam parties in resisting the French, and the French President. In also are opposing Bao Dai. Head of the Association is tic missions would represent Prince Cuong De, stated to be the. Vietnam.

Nguyen An Kang, spokesman of the Association, told the Associated. Press it is supporting Ho-Chi-min against the French. He said their common objective is to

French warships have been patrolling the coast near South ed by a later agreement. West Kwangtung to prevent pirates and others supplying arms to Vietnam revolutionar-

courts would try cases concern-French paired ships on February ing people from France or other quickly, M. Coste Floret said the ing.-Associated Press.

ELEVENTH HOUR REPRIEVE

French forces in Indo-China lost

1945, and December, 1948.-Reu-

Landsberg, March 11. The American Military authorities today ordered a lastminute stay of .. execution in the case lof Josef Brunner, a former Flossenberg concentration camp guard, sentenced to death for killing ten inmates. Brunner going to be married. was to have been hanged, this

was given.—Reuter.

Danger Of Jap Competition Manchester, March 11.

. Bir Raymond Streat, Chair-

man of the British Cotton

Board, said today, of 'Japanese competition in the textile industry that he hopes the Government authorities and others concerned will act while there is still time to evolve the right policies. Writing in the Board's Trade Letter, Sir Raymond asserted that wrongly handted, Japan's competitive participation could lead to grave difficulties in international trade relationships and in assuring stable employment within the domestic economics of several countries.---

Częchs May Stage Fake Revolution

London, March 12, The B.B.C. reported last night that Czechoslovak Communist

The "Free Czech" Information Service said that a bloody purge suppressing an uprising.

It also said a severe split exists among Czech Communists. "The breech has widened be-

yond repair," the Free Czech Information Service said. "At the same time the falling standard of living, the lack treedom and the intolerable adjustment of public and private life to Soviet standards is causing widespread dissatisfaction, which has created an atmosphere of constant tension and alarm for the Communists."-Associated Press.

Future Of

Paris, March 12. Whether French India will stay within the French Union will be decided by a referencitizens. Mixed France-Vietnam dum, a spokesman of the French India Department of the Overseas France Ministry said to-

"The question of an economic "The incorporation of Cochinshould be broken, has not been Declaring that France wants to discussed at any political level, end the war in Indo-China he said.

"Whether French India will stay in the Union or not will be 12,128 dead between September, decided by referendum, the date and terms of which have yet to be decided by the municipal councils of French India themselves." —Reuter.

JENNIFER JONES TO MARRY

Hollywood, March 11. The film producer, David Selznick, confirmed today that he and the actress, Jennifer Jones, are

Selznick told reporters the wedding will take place some time be-No official reason for the stay fore the end of this summer .-

MODEL MODEL

PORTABLE MAGNETIC WIRE

recored r With Every Vital Feature





RECORDER. GRAMOPHONE. PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM, STATION, BRODDCASTING

Sols Distributors

19 Queen's Rd. Gentral, Hongkong

INDIAN ATTACK ON INDONESIA POLICY

Lake Success, March 11. India charged in the Security Council tonight that Holland has now made it quite clear that she is not prepared to restore the Indonesian Republican Government in Jogjakarta.

Sir Benegal Rama Rau, Indian Ambassador to the United States, opened the Council's resumed debate on Indonesia. He declared that Holland bases her refusal primarily on the ground that any such restoration will mean widespread disorder and reprisals on a horrifying scale.

Sir Benegal said: "As the course," he said, distinguished representative of He urged The Netherlands the United States pointed out, make a new approach to the prosuch disorders as, there have blem before it is too late. been are, according to the report of the Good Offices Committee, directly attributed to the Tallure of the political negotiat gate on the spot the actual tions to produce any 'concrete conditions under which the proresults and not to the existence posed Hague Conference would of the Republican Government be held,

in Jogjakarta." Sir Benegal continued: "Restoration of the Republic provides the test of the sincerity of The Netherlands Government in 10-Republic, and Bao Dai on Tues- plan a "fake revolution" as an gard to the new offer. The refusal of the Dutch to the reestablishment of the Republic in Jogiakarta and to negotiate with

At the start of today's meeting Commission.

of the Security Council, the Council granted to a Pakistan hold such preliminary talks, the representative the right to sit in Council should instruct its Comat the debate, Present also were mission to boycott the proposed the new French representative, round-table conference. M. Jean Chauvel, who has replaced M. Alexandre Parodi,

Patience Plea

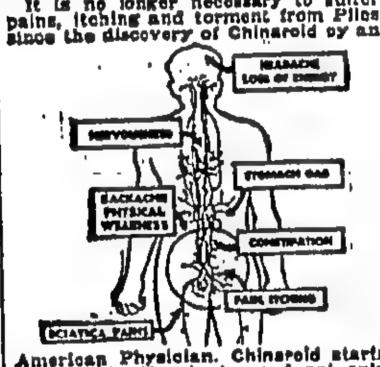
Mr. Joseph Nisot, who follow- of the Indonesian Federalists. ed the Indian delegate, plead-Indonesia at this stage.

negotiations in Kashmir and day.-Reuter, | Palestine.

He suggested that possibly the Republican leaders might meet at some other place than Jogjakarta.

Mr. John Hood, for Australia, said that the Security Council's resolution still stands and nothing that has happened should deflect the council from its attitude. "But the Council is being asked to revise its conclusions and start off on a new

With American Discovery It is no longer necessary to suffer pains, itching and terment from Piles



to work in 10 minutes and not only stops the pain but also takes out the swelling, stops bleedings and combats herve irritation thereby surbing other troubles caused by Plies as shown in Get Chinareld from your druggist to-day under the positive guarantee Chinareld must stop your pile pains and troubles or money back on re-turn of empty backage

The Canadian member of the

Council, General A.G.L. Me-Naughton, proposed to let Indonesian Commission investi-

"Flimsy Reason"

had the impression that there hostess.

the Republican Government is, nese delegate, supported the intelligent and their manner will occur soon under the guise of in effect, a repudiation of the Canadian proposal to hold pre- very friendly. Linggadjati and Renville Agree- liminary talks in indonesia under the auspices of the Indonesian

If the two parties refuse to

Dr. Tsinng said that one of the arguments made by the Dutch against the restoration of the Indonesian leaders' to authority The Belgian representative, is that it would hurt the prestige

"I find this reason very filmsy. ed with the Council, to use Dr. Tsinng said, He asked what patience and conciliation in kind of prestige could the dealing with the problem of Federalists be concerned with when their authority has to be He said that both parties are maintained by Dutch arms. so close to an agreement that After hearing the Chinese de- killed when a truck orashed 25 feet the Council might well draw on legate, the Council adjourned the into the Isar Canal in Munich its experience in the delicate Indonesian question until Mon- today. Three others escaped in-

SILENT WOMEN LONDON

London, March 11. Six Russian housewives, who are on a two-week visit to. Britain, have probably received more space in London's dally newspapers since their arrival two days ago by refusing to talk than if they had granted long

interviews. The present reticence about themselves or their plans has led to them being dubbed the six

The visitors, who are staying have been telling reporters "Ya-Govoru Tolko Porussky" ("1

speak only Russian)". The deputation arrived He thought the Council Wednesday night by air a day should do everything possible late for the celebrations of Into help the parties to enter in- ternational Women's Day, the to direct negotiations, and he Committee of which is playing

is still a possibility of agree- Yesterday they visited a cigarette factory in London where Dr. T. F. Tsiang, the Chl- workers found their questions

The hostess committee denied that the housewives are under orders from Moscow to say nothing. Tiredness after their two days flying in bad weather is the reason given for their

The delegation, led by Madame Tationa Zueva, Minister of Cultural Institutions and Deputy to the Supreme Soviet, includes Mazhesda Khimach, representing the Soviet Women's Anti-Fascist Committee.—Reuter.

Munich, March 11. Two American soldiers were jury,-Router

Republican Stand Maintained

Batavia, March 11. The Republicans still insist on reinstatement of their

Government at Jogjakarta before considering the Dutch proposal for a round-table conference on Indonesia.

tion to the United Nations Commission for Indonesia.

prerequisite: recognition by Dutch of the authority of United Nations Commission. The letter is intended to clear

up any misunderstanding arising from the reply of the Indonesian President, Dr. I R. Sockarno, to the Dutch Royal Commissioner for Indonesia, Dr. Louis Beel, agreeing in principle to a round-table

"In the meantime," Dr. Roem's letter said, "the measures required by the Security Council resolution should not be held up. There should be 'no further delay in releasing that he cannot personally take a political leaders, beginning the decision on Dr. Beel's invitation restoration of the civil administra- but that the decision must be left

glass of this lovely sherry

is a gracious welcome to

your guests

GILMAN & COMPANY LTD.

This was confirmed today by | tion of the Republic, re-establish-Dr. Mohammed Roem, Chair- ing its Government at Jogjakarta man of the Indonesian delega- and bringing the hostilities in Indonesia to an end."

Dr. Roem, who is with the Indonesian Republican President and In a letter to the Commission, the other Republican leaders decabled to the Security Council at tained on Banka Island, said: "It Lake Success, he added a second might be practicable to hold a conference which would be neipful to, the work of the United Nations Commission and take place within the framework of the Security Council resolution. 4 -

"The United Nations Commission would naturally retain the functions and initiatives envisaged by the Security Council resplution and the status of the Republic, as one of the parties to the dispute would not boy affected.

"The President has explained the Republican Government when it is re-established and functioning freely at Jogjakarta, as called for by the Security Council."-Router.

Indigestion ? . . Here's something worth knowing



It's probably caused by excess acid-In your stomach. This often leads to frequent attacks of flatulence, heartburn and other stomach disorders." What you need is a reliable remedy. like 'BISMAG' (short for 'Bisurated' Magnesia) because it has a neutralising effect and assists the normal functions of the stomach. I recommend BISMAG to all sufferers from these stomach troubles. Try to today, you'll find it brings you quick relief.

YOU NEED TO WALL

"BISURATED" HAGNESIA

Sold Distributors) . B . LOXLEY & CO. CHINA) LTD.

Park Building . Cheter Rd. Telephone 24 44

MAGAZINE SECTION

SUNDAY, MARCH. 13, 1949.

IT'S THE OX NOW, NOT THE MOUSE

This is the Year of the Ox in Japan—the second year in the oriental cycle of 12 years.

By agreeable democratic coincidence, MacArthur's Occupation advisers, Japanese industrial leaders and Shinto priests are in general harmony on what can be expected from it.

"The Year of the Ox is a year of patience, hard work, austerity and hardship—but steady progress," explains the venerable head priest of the Kenninji Temple in Kioto.

"Last year was the Year of the Mouse—a year, as we all know, of feverish food production, of running to and fro, of incessant activity.

More Prosaic

"The Year of the Ox will be the real year of sturdy preparation and foundation-laying of slow, stubborn recovery which will leap to greater national achievement in 1950, the Year of the Tiger.

Dr. Sherwood M. Fine, MacArthur's Director of Economics and Finance, agrees in more prosaic phraseology.

Washington is encouraged by the im-

Washington is encouraged by the improvement registered in both industrial production levels and exports during 1948, he reports on his return from consultation with U.S. Budget, Army and State Department officials.

But they are insistent that responsible Japanese leaders will have to secure more effective over-all economic stabilisation to create an environment conducive to continued progress in out-

General MacArthur, under blunt orders from the State and Army Departments, has also made it clear, in non-zoological language, that the light-hearted, scampering, cheese-filled days of the Year of the Mouse must yield to the stolid, lowing, plodding Year of

austerity in every phase of Japanese life and temporary surrender of some of the privileges and immunities inherent in a free society.

The most surpicious ox-herd will admit that the Japanese did pretty well for themselves in the Year of the Mouse

Thanks mainly to sharp increases in coal production and imports of raw materials, industrial activity was up 50 per cent. and exports 40 per cent.

end, for the first time since before the war, the worker has some money available for clothing and even entertainment after paying for food and taxes

ment, after paying for food and taxes.

Despite the inevitable population increase — which continues its bounding and ominous advance whether it be the Year of the Mouse, the Ox, the Tiger, the Dragon or the Wild Boar — there was an 8 per cent increase in the staple food ration.

There is still inflation, but there was a bumper rice crop, and the market is glutted with the celebrated Japanese

apples, persimmons and tangerines.

Japanese industrialists — some of them down to only one car and one summer residence — are already talking of "starvation exports," comfortably confident, with the sanction of Washighton's austerity order to MacArthur, that they can depend upon the uncomplaining endurance of the great mass of the Japanese workers.

By Richard Hughes

"The Japanese people must prepare for greater austerity and temporary surrender of some freedoms in order to stabilise their economy," MacArthur has advised tough old Premier Shigeru Yoshida, who himself physically resembles an undersized ox.

It seems there will be no place for interference by management or labour with the acceleration of production, for the burden will be shared by every segment of Japanese society.

Did Pretty Well-

"Prompt achievement of economic self-sufficiency alone can justify and ensure political freedom," the Japanese are told, and, "There must be increased

covery. In 1947, production was only 40 per cent of that level.

Stirring Into Life

over 1947, Industrial production is now

62 per cent, of the 1930-34 level, which has been set as the standard for re-

Throughout Japan, rusty but serviceably factory plant is steadily stirring into life, and long-cold chimney stacks are beiching black smoke anew, as coal production rises to 105 per cent. of the 1930-34 average, and as raw cotton, iron ore, coking coal, rubber, salt and other sorely-needed raw materials have

begun to flow in.

Much of this production went into foreign trade to help to pay for imported food, but the Japanese man in the street also got his Year of the Mouse share in an improved and improving

standard of living.

His wages now represent from 10 to
15 per cent, more purchasing power

than they did a year ago.

The population was up nearly 1,500,000 during the year, but food prices
are now below the levels of last August,

Round The Corner

The economic realities of the Year of the Ox are based on the conviction that prosperity is definitely not just round the corner.

Exports — which mean largely textiles and maybe shipbuilding — must be in creased 500 to 600 per cent more before Japan is really self-supporting. And real wages are still barely half what they were before the war.

Meantime, the Japanese Communists,

Meantime, the Japanese Communists, like the Japanese industrialists, are privately amused by the "threat" that American aid may be withheld if the austerity programme does not achieve "economic stabilisation."

Only a halfwit — or an ox — would believe that America, now irrevocably committed to the reconstruction, and support of Japan as a bastion against Asiatic Communism, could afford to permit any serious deterioration in Japanese conditions.

Languages And The English Classroom

The special educational problems of children deprived of a normal family life will for the first time, in Britain, be the subject of a Ministry of Education course for teachers. This course is one of 70 described in the Ministry's Programme of Short Courses for 1949. The Programme also includes details of the courses to be held in Paris, Rome, Braunschweig (Germany) and Norway. In Rome the teachers will study the history and culture of that city, while in Norway the subject is science, including meteorology. The courses in Paris and Braunschweig include linguistic practice and will deal with the presentation of French and German respectively in the English classroom.

The courses cover a very wide field in the educational service of England and Wales. Among the courses for Secondary School teachers is one to study the various selection techniques to determine the courses of education best sulted to the abilities and aptitudes of individual children. There are also courses on the British Commonwealth, Modern Citizenship and Housecraft. Course for teachers in technical rehool and colleges include: Boot and Shoe Manufacture, Mining. Textiles, and Hotel and Catering Services. There are also Bacon Curing courses for Rural Domestic Economy Instructors, while five camping courses have been arranged.

In addition to these national courses, the Ministry of Education is also arranging a number of regional courses for teachers in various parts of England and Wales and among the subjects are: Broadcasting, Local Studies, Shool Meals and Special Educational Treatment.

QUICK LOOKS

Poets and Story-Tellers, by Lord David Ceell.

Enjoyable disquisitions on a wide range of literary subjects, from Elizabethan plays to the novels of E. M. Forster. The essayist's velvet pad hides the claws of a scholarly critic.

The Greville Memoirs 1814-1860, selected and edited by Christopher Lloyd.

Charles Greville has a secure place among the greatest English diarists. He was himself an interesting character, and the careful diary that he kept covers a huge extent of social and political history. A young man in the days of the Prince Regent, he witnessed the accession of Queen Victoria and lived to see her triumph. These brief but well chosen extracts give some idea of his quality.

One of the best escape stories yet. The Wooden Horse, by Eric Williams to come out of the war; a simply written, extremely exciting account of how, under cover of a wooden vaulting-horse, two intropld British officers dug their way to freedom.



the strategic terms of the first terms of the second terms of the second of the second



A Tonic helps

In convaiescence, for debility, for post-malarial anaemia there is nothing better to restore health and strength than 5 course of



A -- palatable -- and -- readily assimilable syrup. Ask your doctor about this leading tonic.

> Obtainable at all high-class dispensaries und stores.

> > Sole Agents:-

M. BATER-LYNN HELLWIG,

Marina House, Hong Kong.

CHEAP SALE

AUTOMATIC CAMERA 3.5 tense \$100.

CAMERA LIGHTERS.... \$9.

TELESCOPE 6 x 30, made in USA \$90.

Also Expert Repairing Service.

AH MONG STORE

Corner of Stanley and D'Aquilar 61.

alking about tilened

With Stardom

FRED MAJDALANY at the Cinema

Aviation has a chance to show what it can do to a marriage in The Glass Mountain an unimportant but enjoyable English entertainment,

It is about a composer (Michael Denison) who finds that the inspiration of his music is not his wife (Dulcie Gray) but the Italian lady (Valentina Cortese) who tended him when his bomber was shot down over the Dolomites during the war.

He returns to Italy to finish his opera in the stimulating arms of the Signorina. To win him back the wife also has to get herself in a plane crash on the way to Venice for the premiere of his opera. Which seems an elaborate and even dangerous way of saving a marriage.

It is not altogether easy to connect Miss Gray and Mr. Denison with these proceedings. They suggest so completely the kind of couple whose greatest marriage problem is likely to be how many sandwiches to cut when they give a party.

But the picture has a number of pleasing features to distract the attention from its romantic implausibility.

There is the vibrant, tingling personality of Signorina Cortese, whose acting dominates the film and is clearly going to dominate many more. (She is already incarcerated in Hollywood.)

There is Miss Gray's charming representation of one of those knowing mice to whom chaps (in fiction, anyway) always return in the end.

There are some excellent songs. sung by Tito Gobbi, and some nice mountain scenery.

Mr. Denison's contribution is to show that a man can love a couple of women at the same time without ever doing anything that might let the cricket club down.

A good dramatic idea just survives indifferent-direction-and-photography in Silent Dust, which is based on a

stage play called "The Paragon." Shortly before a doting father unveils a memorial to his son, supposedly killed during the war, the son turns up and proves to be a particularly nasty specimen of a deserter who has, in the meantime, become a murderer.

Stephen Murray, Sally Gray, Beatrice Campbell, and Nigel Patrick sort the problem out with competence rather than inspiration-and Sir Seymour Hicks, in a supporting part, supplies the acting that one remembers.

Among other things I could not understand the inclusion of a perfectly unnecessary war flashback, unless someone said: "We'd better work in a night-club scene-everyone else does."

The other new British offering. Once Upon a Dream, a domestic farce of the here-I-say-steady-on-old girl kind, would be utterly neglible were it not for the presence of Google Withers.

Agitation, on the other hand, is Barbara Stanwyck's forte, and in Sorry, Wrong Number she has to be agitated for so long that you expect a blood-vessel to burst,

General Knowledge Answers

1. France. Forty-four per cent.
2. Ferdinand de Lesseps. French. Edward the Confessor, son of Ethelred the Second, 1042 to 1066.

4. Charles, who abdicated in 1918,

5. Louiso de la Rampe.

Based on a successful radio play, the picture is about a woman who, through crossed telephone lines, hears a murder being planned, and gradually discovers after a few more calls that the victim is herself.

Continual flashbacks somewhat confuse a melodrama which was said to be impressive on the air.

Maria Montez is another whose charms are not aimed at the intellect, and she is to be found in another Hollywood pantomime called Siren of Attantis a dull pantomime, this one.

She is the queen of a lost city in the middle of the Sahara. Every time an explorer or a member of the French Foreign Legion stumbles across the place he is nabbed and invited to play chess with her. If she likes him he becomes her lover.

When she is tired of him he is embalmed in solid gold.

A young Frenchman (Jean Pierre. Aumont) who is against the final phase of this routine, manages to escape, and has some trouble explaining to a court-martial what he has been through. And can you wonder?

After these two films it is quite a relief to turn to the tranquil waters of Britannia Mews.

The heroine of this one, Maureen O'Hara, doesn't spit at a soul, nor does she play menacing games of chess

with chaps. She is nothing more dreadful than a Victorian young lady who annoys the family, by running off with an art master who in due course dies of drink and leaves her stranded in a

shabby mews. After a period of modest tribulation and carefully regulated squalor she is rescued by a man who is the double

of her late husband. There appears to be no reason for this resemblance except that it enables both parts to be played by Dana

Andrews, who would otherwise diehalf-way through the picture. Miss O'Hara, whose talent is visual rather than histrionic, looks graciously lovely, and is equal to the minute bit

of acting required of her. A picture for matrons in the higher

age-groups. The Secret Land is a beautifully photographed documentary record (in Technicolor) of Admiral Byrd's naval expedition to the Antarctic in 1946-47.

Its only fault is a eulogistic commentary. It is impressive enough to see a dozen naval ships ploughing through the ice: and to watch bulldozers, tanks, and alreraft among the seals and penguins, without the impassioned voices of Robert Montgomery, Van Heilin and Robert Taylor saying so all the time.

Forward Look At The Festival Of Britain

Proliminary arrangements are being made, by the National Industrial Development Council of Wales and Monmouthshire, for participation in the Festival of Britain, 1951. The Welsh and Monmouthshire celebrations will take place in Cardiff in the Spring of 1951, and as part of the arrangements, it has been decided to organise a-mobile Pageant of Industry, on the lines of one devised for the Jubilea Celebrations in 1935. It is intended to include in this

Parsent representations which debict



says Constance Moore femous star of REPUBLIC PRODUCTIONS

currently appearing in

"FARL CARROLL SKETCHBOOK"

Kolynos Dental Cream helps clean quickly, gently, and thoroughly. It freshens your breath, too, with its abundant, pleasanttasting foam...makes your mouth feel clean, refreshed. All with just half-an-inch on the brush. Kolynos...

cleans...tastes good... is economical.



des (and feel) the different

the industrial activity of Wales. In addition, there will be sections illustrative of the tourist and holiday. facilities available in Wales, and tableaux descriptive of the agriculture, transport, Local Authority Services, shipping and docks of the Principality.

Scoland, owing to her individual national characteristics and national history, will naturally play a very important role in the Festival of Britain. Apart from those parts of the general official programme which embrace Scotland as well, the . Scottish-Committee of the Festival Council is: engaged in working out a comprehensive programme which will give expression to the many aspects of Scottish life, both traditional and modern, which can only be displayed to the fullest advantage in Scotland itself. A. Travelling Exhibition will be corganised to tour those parts of Scotland not. within . easy. distance of the regional festivals.

Aus Serial Story

MURDER FOR SALE By Raoul Whitfield

CHAPTER THREE

of the frame house on Blue Street and watched Freedman. Freedman was a small man with sharp features and a pasty complexion.

"—and they're figurin' on framing you for Grayber's kill, Guy," he said. "They line it up like this—you and Bradwell are fightin' for the big coin—on both sides of White River. You try to gun out Bradwell and fail. This louse 'Vannic is a dick, but Grayber has him on Bradwell. He doesn't want to swallow lead, so he swings the car wide. He squeezes lead back—and some of your boys get hurt—"

Maxin swore, "Get dead," he corrected.

ed a little. Freedman went on in a low tone:

"They say you've been trying to get to Mayor Kennell—but he can't see you for dirt. So you pull a fast one—and get him into a car. You're making a big play—in a hurry. You try for Vannic and Chief Grayber, but you only get Grayber. He spots some of the mob—your mob—and the whole Force is out to get you. That's the way they put it and that's the way it stands."

Maxlin narrowed his blue eyes and turned his fat face away from Tim-mer. He said grimly:

"Vannic's a dirty louse, He's a crooked dick. He's in with Sol Brad-well—and tryin' to frame me. Brad-well not Kennelli. Something slipped up, and he saw a chance. Maybe he wanted Vannic out of the way, too, but there was a miss. His mob got Grayber. And Vannie figured Brad-well to win out, and framed me. That's the way I figure it."

Freedman said: "They're watching me—I got to be enreful. I need

Maxlin gave him some bills. He

"I knew when things busted open—they'd bust wide. But I didn't figure Bradwell would go after Kennelli. He was due to quit in two weeks."

"I'm supposed to be working around the terminal district. Baggart's running things in the Bureau—and he's turning things wide to find Kennelli,

turning things wide to find Kennelli, dead or alive."

Maxlin nodded. "They'll find him," he muttered. "But he won't talk—not again. It's Bradwell's deal, Freddie."

The stoolie looked puzzied. "Maybe," he said. "But Sol was sittin' nice. He was donating 50,000 to the bulls' pension fund. He was through working the rackets. He had two papers believin' him."

Maxlin grunted. "Something slipped, and he saw it," he said grimly. "I wish to God we'd finished him tonight. If that louse Vannie—"

Freedman lowered his voice a little, started to say something, looked at Timmer. He hesitated. Maxlin followed Freedman's gaze—nodded his head.

Bradwell drew out a roll of bills. He tossed five of them to Vannie. "There's the 2,000 you gave Carr for the months trip—and 3,000 for the job in the car."

• "Thanks, Sol. Now you let me handle Maxlin. Not tonight. Maybe tomorrow."

Bradwell said slowly:

"You are careful, Van. You're on the police force—and I'm feeding you coin. You're earning it, but you got to be careful, Van. I'm in deep—and I'm going through with it. I clean up 2,000,000 or I go under dirt. I guess you know that."

Vannie half closed his dark eyes. The city was 26 stories below, cut alnost in half by White River. The Northside and the Southside—with the dark watered, steel plant polluted White River between. Maxlin on the Northside, running things. Bradwell on the Southside—running things. Maxlin greedy but not in a position to cross the river. Bradwell greedy and shrewd, ready to cross the river—reach out for more graft.

Vannie said: "Yeah- know that,

He knew it—and he knew other things. Sol Bradwell and Guy Maxlin—fighting each other. Fighting over the spoils of Centre City. Rich spoils. A steel plant town. Gambling spots for men who wanted to forget bodywearying shifts. Bookmaking. Policy games. Prostitution. Dope. Shakedowns. Bradwell and Maxlin fighting for control—and millions.

Bradwell was saying slowly, from some spot just behind Don Vannic:
"You're close to me, Van—closer than that yellow-haired doll Stella, is to

Maxlin."

nie said.

Vannic smiled a little. "Might be a good idea to work a man in with that doll Stella."

Bradwell shook his head. "He'd

have to have guts and coin—to beat Maxlin," he said.

"You've got guts—and money," Van—

Bradwell narrowed his eyes. "Be careful, Van," he said in a grim tone. "Don't you go crowding me."

of this—I'll run the deal."

He knew he had made a mistake. He had tried to crowd Bradwell, and the man knew it.

Bradwell said: "Maxlin thought there was a chance for a break tonight. It, didn't take. But if you saw a chance.

Vannie swore with feeling. "Jeeze-Sol-you don't figure me that way, do you?"

Sol Bradwell shrugged. He remembered that this man had swung the sedan away from the kill car—had probably saved his life. He smiled. "I'm making a big play—in the next few weeks, Don. Maybe I'm figuring

too much. You're all right."

Vannie_smiled__with_his_thin_lips.

"Sure," he sald in a relieved tone.

"I'm with you, Sol." "You got to be with me. Van. Now you clear out—

"I'm with you, Sol." "You got to be with me, Van. Now you clear out—
I'll leave after you get away. See me tomorrow, after you talk with Grayber."

Vannic nodded and went out. In

the street he turned towards the heart of the city—twenty squares away.

He ran into Charlie Updike. That dick said: "They took Kennelli for a ride."

Don Vannie stared at Updike. Chad Kennelli was mayor of Centre City. He was on the board of a half-dozen banks. He was worth 500,000. He was a politician—and not a reformer. And he was important.

"Who took him for a ride?" Don

asked.
Updike swore. "That would be nice

to know."

Vannic said slowly: "Give me the dope, Charlie. I've been trying to

work Bradwell."
Updike raised his eyes towards the
Lumber Building.

"They say you saved him—trying to save your own neck, eh?"

Vannic nodded. "They turned loose

guns—and I pulled Sol's car up on the pavement. I came damn' near getting the dose."

Updike was tall and thin. He nod-

"Just the same—figure a story for Grayber. I'm tipping you, Van. The last thing the mayor did, before he went outside to talk to somebody who sent in word he was somebody elsewas to call Grayber and ask why you were driving Bradwell's car."

Vannic shrugged. "His driver was sick—and I said I'd drive him home. It went to the show to pump him. It—didn't work. Grayber knows-I've been.

Updike smiled a little. He was a veteran of the police force. He was a slowe plodding. Vannic had to watch him. He know that

"Well," said Vannic, "he made a lot of money in a couple of years. But in two weeks he was to quit.".

Updike said, with a grim voice:
"That's what Grayber can't figure—he
was quirting in two weeks, on account
of his health. If he'd been sticking on
the job, it would have been different."
Updike spoke.

"We haven't found the body yet. He

didn't get along any too well with his wife. Maybe he was being clever."

Don Vannie whistled softly. "That's right," he breathed. "Maybe he just took himself for a ride."

"I'll go down and see Grayber right away," said Vannic,
"You looking for the body on this

"You looking for the body on this street, Charlie?"

The veteran jerked his head towards the Lumber Building. "I figured I

might catch Bradwell in. He might know something."

Vannic kept his body relaxed and shook his head.

"He doesn't—unless I'm missing things."

The veteran moved a few feet away.

"No harm in my checking you, ch, Van? Not much love lost between Bradwell and Kennelli. Maybe Bradwell figured the mayor wanted to get him dead—while he had power. He nearly got the works tonight."

Vannic went towards Detective Headquarters. When he neared the lighted entrance a black sedan pulled up and three men spilled from it. The round head of Grayber, police chief, was turned towards him.

"Get Bradwell to bed?" he snapped.
The other two men went inside the tuilding. Vannic stood close to Gray-

"What's the how! for?" he demanded. "Making me the goat? You knew I was working Bradwell."

Grayber sald stercely: "You've been crossing us, Vannic. We've been tipped. Bradwell and Maxlin are out for a kill scrap to the finish—and they're dragging others in. Bradwell's got Mayor Kennelli—got him alive, or maybe dead. Kennelli tried to finish Bradwell, earlier tonight. He'd turned down a deal Bradwell wanted, and he was afraid there'd be trouble when he got out of office. Come on inside, Vannic—I'll tell you some more."

The detective said: "Sure—but you've got me wrong, Chief—"

Grayber swore at him. Grayber turned, -took-a-step-toward-the entrance. A brown sedan swung around the nearest corner and headed towards the curbing opposite the entrance. The chief of detectives faced the car. He cried out hoursely, as he reached for his right hip.

"Vannie—you dirty crook—"

The Thompson guns in the car started to work as Vannie dived for the steps that led to the ceilar at one side.

of the entrance.

Grayber cried out as a half dozen slugs battered his stoutish body against the stone steps. He cursed bitterly as he fell, then was silent. Vannic picked himself up from the bottom of the steps and wiped blood from his lips.

He staggered up the ctairs and drew his Colt. In the distance the brown cedan was swinging a corner on two wheels. Vannic lifted his gun and fired two shots. It was late and it took time for humans to reach the street.

Vannic fired one more shot, staggered out towards the centre of the street. Detectives and uniformed coppers spilled into the street. Lieutenant Baggart was at Vannic's side.

was at Vannic's side.
"What in hell—happened?" he

breathed.

Don Vannie, wiped red from his forehead.

"—dam": "em—they got—the Chief:

Black car—open. Came around—and turned loose Tommies. Two—I think. I went down—tried for them with the Colt—"

Vannic swore bitterly. "Can't be sure—but it looked like Guy Maxlin —to me."

Baggart said slowly: "We'll bring

More Fungicides For Agriculture

Britain's need to produce the maximum amount of food possible during the next few years has led to greater attention being paid to the protection of crops from disease. Fortunately, owing to its temperate climate, Britain does not suffer from diseases to crops on such a large scale as many countries. The United States, France and Italy, use about two-thirds of the 350,000 tons of copper sulphate which 'are annually used to protect crops from disease. But there is no doubt that Britain's potato crop can be increased if a greater control of blight is exercised. If preventive measures are taken regularly against disease, Britoin's extensive fruit crop

would also benefit.

During 1941 to 1944, war years when food playd a life-and-death role in Britain's life, a comprehensive series of field trials on the control of potato blight by copper fungicides was carried out in Devon and Cornwall. The results of 103 trirls showed an average gain in yield of two-and-three-quarter tour per acre due to two sprayings.

The Ministry Agriculture has now recommended that the spraying of potato crops should be regarded as a routine summer operation in South and South-West England and Wales. It is also recommended that outdoor tomate plants should be sprayed at intervals of about three weeks from the end of July or the beginning of August. Celery, t too, is subject to "Leaf Spot", and it has been found that in a year when this disease was prevalent, the yield from the beds which had been spayed with fungicide was nearly double that from unsprayed 'beds.

One of the most comprehensive books, on copper compounds and their uses has just been published in London. It deals with the uses of these compounds in the control of crop diseases in all parts of the world, as suppressors of weeds and for treatment of seeds, as insecticides, fungicide, antiseptics and preservatives and also discusses plant and animal diseases due to lack of a trace of copper in the soil or food.

The book will be sent free to those persons who are genuinely interested in this subject by the publishers: Copper Development Association, Kendals Hall, Radlett, Hertfordshire, England. The volume, which describes in great detail the exact methods to be used, and the exact quantities of the copper sulphate fungicides and other mixtures necessary for spraying, is invaluable for farmers and fruit-growers in any part of the world.

NEWS QUIZ ANSWERS

- Earl Baldwin, Governor of the Leeward Islands.
- 2. The light aircraft-corrier HMS Vengeance. The Arctic Circle.
- 3. Lumbar sympathectomy.
- 4. Dr. Sun Yat-sen, founder of the Chinese Republic.
- 5. South Africa. Two; three were drawn.6. Stalin's reshuffle of his Cabinet.

him in-if it takes the whole-dam'

Vannic heard someone use Maxlin's name—there was a faint flicker in his eyes. There were two thoughts in his head as he swung towards the others again—Grayber had almost enught up with him, that was one. And the other was that Sol Bradwell had worked fast. His mob had got the detective chief—and his mob had come very close to getting him.

Don Vannic shook his head from side to side, watched several detectives lift the body of Grayber from the steps. He breathed very softly.

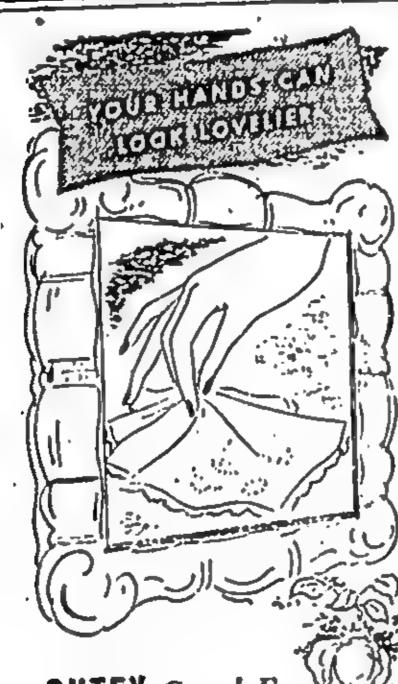
"From now on — things'll be hot —-

hotter than hell Maxlin and Bradwell—" His voice was barely a whispered thought—"and me!"

TO BE CONTINUED



democratic country, isn't it?"



CUTEX-Gared-For Hands

The gentle beauty of your -- E hands can now be of your own making. Easy-to-use CUTEX hand beauty preparations make it possible for you to give your hands that professional manicured look.

The long-wearing beauty of CUTEX polish will help keep your hands looking lovelier for days and days. Wonderful colours from which to choose... select a shade to flatter your skin tone or to harmonize

with your costume



Sole Agents for Hong Kong and South China

W. R. LOXLEY & CO. (CHINA) LTD.

York Bullding Telephone 34165

MUSICA CRITICISM

There has been a certain amount of feeling running high, as expressed in the local English papers, as to musical criticism of local orchestras. It appears that a critic expressed himself fairly strongly as to a performance by a local orchestra, and a battle furious has been raging (on paper) as to the rights and wrongs of his criticism.

There are those who range themselves solidly on the side of the orchestra, basing 'all their premises on the assumption that harsh criticism will dampen local efforts to produce live performances of worth-while music. The opposition hold the view that a critic is entitled to express his views in all honesty, and that good constructive criticism never hurt anyone.

Caution being my watch-word, far be it from me to join issue with either faction, but it seems a problem whereon dispassionate examination of both sides of the question may repay the time spent.

It seems to me the first step to be well and truly established is by what right does a critic set himself up as such? It must be presumed that a critic, whether he confine himself to books, ballet, music, drama or painting, must be quite a profound technician. He must surely have a sound grasp of all the essential principles of his subject in all its varied branches; even better, he should be an executive musician, it seems, else how can be say "Mr. X. failed to interpret the music as we expect," or some such phrase?

No Mercy

Secondly, he must certainly be scrupulously honest with himself and with the performer. Criticism cannot afford to be tempered with mercy. By this, I mean to imply the performance has been wholly inadequate and quite unworthy of anything but castigation. Here is a case when the critic must say so, and not be led astray by considering that, after all, the performers were but amateurs and doing their best.

I go further than this on this point. I don't think amateurs expect-or even wish-to be excused any deficiencies In their performance on the grounds. that they are indeed amateurs. They gird up their loins, so to speak, to present a show of some sort to the public and as amateurs worthy of the name, they are prepared to stand or fall by their efforts. "To damn with faint praise" is probably a worse fate; but to excuse partially a bad performance on the grounds that "they were doing their best" is even worse, and no such excuse is asked or needed.

This brings up my third line of argument. Assuming the adverse criticism is both well-informed and unbiassed, the true amateur-sporting something very akin to the trouper tradition of the professional stage—is spurred on to greater efforts. I cannot believe that a really enthusiastic "amateur, is namyb-pamby enough to throw in the towel because of a few unkind words in the local Press.

If his self-confidence in his own ability (and this should not be confused with conceit, which is a very dirferent matter) is such as to persuade him to display his talents in public, then adverse criticism is certainly not going to discourage him. Much of the world's finest music would be lost to us today if this were the case.

And as a fourth and final consideration, there is the general public, the great G. P. itself. Would it be better or worse off if there were, no critics to form its opinion? Or is it inferring too much to assume the public is influenced, by a critic's write up of a first-night at Ivory Lane? The great Shaw has given rise to this anecdote. (but Shaw cannot vouch for its ac-'curacy) in this particular connection. After the first night of "Man and

Contributed "MUSETTA"

Superman" G. B. S. was called on to the stage to take his bow and acknowledge the applause.

One man, however, in the gallery was booing at the top of his voice, when Shaw eventually started to speak, he addressed himself to the dessentient in the gallery, saying, "My dear Sir, I absolutely agree with your opinion of my play, but what are ou ropinions worth against thousands of others?"

True or not, a very neat piece of repartee and quick thinking, it also aptly illustrates my point that a critic but expresses his own opinion, although if his criticism is to be constructive and and not just a sour domnation because he has a liver on, it must be backed up by knowledge. That, Shaw submits, is the ideal to be achieved. If we fail as miserably in this connection however, to achieve the ideal as in other problems, then new standards must be adopted.

And so again to the week's programmes.

SUNDAY

The Symphony Concert tonight comprises:-Brandenburg Concerto No. 4 .. Bach

Symphony No. 1 in C. Beethoven Meistersingers Overture Wagner Pianoforte ConcertBelius Fantasia on a Theme by Tallis Vaughan Williams.

Those who seek for the normal conception of a concerto in the Brandenburg series of Bach will be disappointed for there is little, if any, of the Concerto proper apparent here. The Brandenburg album consists of what is really highly scored Chamber music and little trace of a solo instrument (which is the normal characteristic of the Concerto) can be found. In this series, however, Bach produces some of the loveliest of his music and it is always good to hear any of the Brandenburgs.

The Beethoven Symphony followed something on the patterns of Mozart and Haydn, who were conservative to a degree in their choice of key. It was in the "Eroica" and later Symphonies that Beethoven went exploring, culminating in the great Fifth Symphony.

Wagner's "Melstersingers" was composed well after his full maturity as a composer. "Rienzi", "Flying Dutchman" "Tannhauser", "Lohengrin" and parts of the "Ring" had already been written before he composed "The Meistersingers". This opera, I feel, is certainly easier to understand than is much of "The Ring" and to my mind, appears to show a return on Wagner's part to the "Italian-opera" style which he displayed quite clearly in "Rienzi" and "Flying Dutchmen".

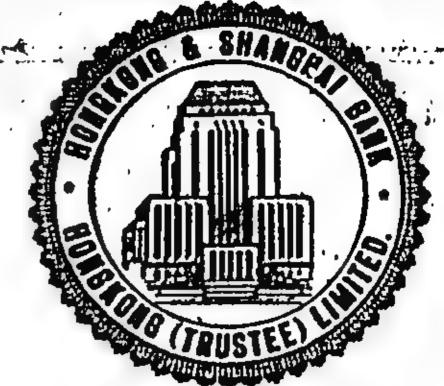
The Delius Concerto is an interesting, if unusual choice, for this music, I believe, is not wholly representative of the charm which Delius could exert in some of his other compositions. However, it is seldom there is an opporfunity of hearing this music in the Colony, and since Benno Molselwich is soloist, we shall be assured of a technically perfect performance.

TUESDAY

An interesting programme of operatic music, is featured tonight, when, amongst the music to be heard, will be found: '-Overture to "Cosi Fan Tutte"

La Donna e Mobile (Rigoletto) Ocean, Thou Mighty Master.

(Opera) .. Weber William Tell (Passo a Sle) .. Rossini. "Cosi Fan Tutte" was Mozart's fifth opera, and written in 1790, a year before his death. His finest opera "The



EXECUTORS and TRUSTEES for the COLONY and the FAR EAST

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK

HONGKÓNG (TRUSTEE) LTD.

the Trustee Company of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Hongkong.

Magle Flute" was yet to be written. In "Cosi Fan Tutte" Mozart was fortunate enough to secure the services of Da Ponte as librettist, one of the writtiest (and meet intelligible!) of the 18th

century dramatists. Jussi Bjorling is singing the famous tenor aria from "Rigoletto" and a very fine voice he possesses too. This particular aria must be known the world over. It is whistled, sung and distorted in every imaginable form, so that it will be pleasure to hear it in its original form, unhampered by the evil machinations of some so-called "arrangers.

WEDNESDAY

For an hour from 10.15 p.m. there is to be a programme called "Music from the Footlights," which ranges from Gilbert and Sullivan to the present day. Something like a hundred years of Theatre Music provides quite a-wide ---scope, and many memories will surely be evoked by this promising feature. The orchestra is under the direction of Mark Lubbock, who has done so much for light music in England.

THURSDAY

Today, being St. Patrick's Day, is remembered by a programme at 8.10 p.m. of Irish music, with John McCormack as guest artiste. A finer voice by which to recall old Erin would be impossible to find.

At 9.30 p.m. a film version of "The Winslow Boy" is to be heard. Advance reports from England indicated this to an exceptionally good film, and certainly it will be unusual to have a bad performance from Robert Donat. The film is, I believe, booked for a visit to the Colony in the near future, so you have the privilege tonight of a sort of grand "Trailer" of it.

FRIDAY

At 8.10 p.m., there is to be a version of Priestley's "Good Companions". A part from "Angel Pavement". I recall seeing a film of it some years ago now, when Edmund Gwen in a classic performance as the bluff Jess Oakroyd. I shall, I hope, renew, my acquaintance with the "Companions" tonight.

SATURDAY

There is just space to mention that Acts I and II of "Il Travatore" are being given tonight. There may be room next week to say more about it.

Smile! Will you all please give me a nice big smile? I do hope you all Will. I'm really disappointed to see some children have forgotten how to smile. Many say ''Thank you,'' or ''Hello'' without a smile. Is life

so very dull? Have you ever realised that a smile costs nothing, but goes a long way with whatever you are doing? It takes only a moment but the memory of it sometimes will last forever.

A smile is Nature's best antidote for trouble, it brings happiness to the home, rest to the weary, sunshine to the sad, cheer to the discouraged, and is the countersign of friendship.

You'll be surprised that there are no smiles for sale, even if you have pots of money. You cannot beg, borrow from someone. or steal one, for it is of no value anyone until it is given away. No one is so rich or mighty that he can get along without it. and no one is so poor that he can be made rich by it.

Some people are too tired to give you a smile, so won't you give them one of yours? It enriches those who receives it without making poorer those who give. Try it now in a looking glass.

See what a difference it makes, even to you? That's right: keep it up.

Happy days to you all, from

Your Dreams And What They Mean BABY—A helpless baby is a bad sign. If the baby is unwell,

it shows a serious lilness or even death in the family. BAG-Better times, especially if a heavy one.

BANANA-A fortunate omen. though the dream may concern Kong. seme small affair only. BANDAGE—Fresh influences will surround you.

BELLS-Sign of coming news. but it may not be favourable.

Face Competition Winners

Two first prizes of \$5 go to Li Leighton Hill Road, 2nd floor, Hing Lau of 41, Bonham Road, Hong Kong; Marie Yvonne ground floor, Hong Kong, and Ribeiro of 41, Peking Road, 1st Arthur Hamid of 114, Tung Lo floor, Kowloon, Cecilia Wan of Wan Road, 2nd floor, Hong 10, Rua Pedro Cautinko, Macau, Six prizes' of \$2 each go to ward Road, ground floor, Kow-Josephine Sherwood of Ma Tau loon and Roger C. Kemp of 14, bird's nest.

Swabey Roger of 275, Prince Ed-

it's here again.

Try and see how many words | Mark the bottom left hand coryou can make from "Competition", her of your envelope "Competi-There are 11 letters in the word, tion." so it won't be hard to make smaller words from it.

When you have written out your, aldered. low clearly in capital letters and will be awarded. then send them to Auntie Vee, Good Luck!

Word-making is popular. So, Children's Herald, Windsor House, is here again. Hong Kong.

It must be your own work and and late entries cannot be con-

words clearly, count them and put Two first prizes of \$5 each and the total, then fill in the form be- six consolation prizes of \$2 each

NAME		
	 ****	 AGE

Mary and John were playing they heard chirping noises. They hide and seek in the garden. It wondered what it was, and then was Mary's turn to hide, so she ran down the garden path and hid in one of the bushes; and there resting on one of the branches was a bird's nest with four little eggs lying on it. "Oh," Mary said, and called John to come and see they remembered the bird's nest. A few days had passed and there were four little birds being fed by their mother who was rather angry to see a boy and a girl peeping into her nest.

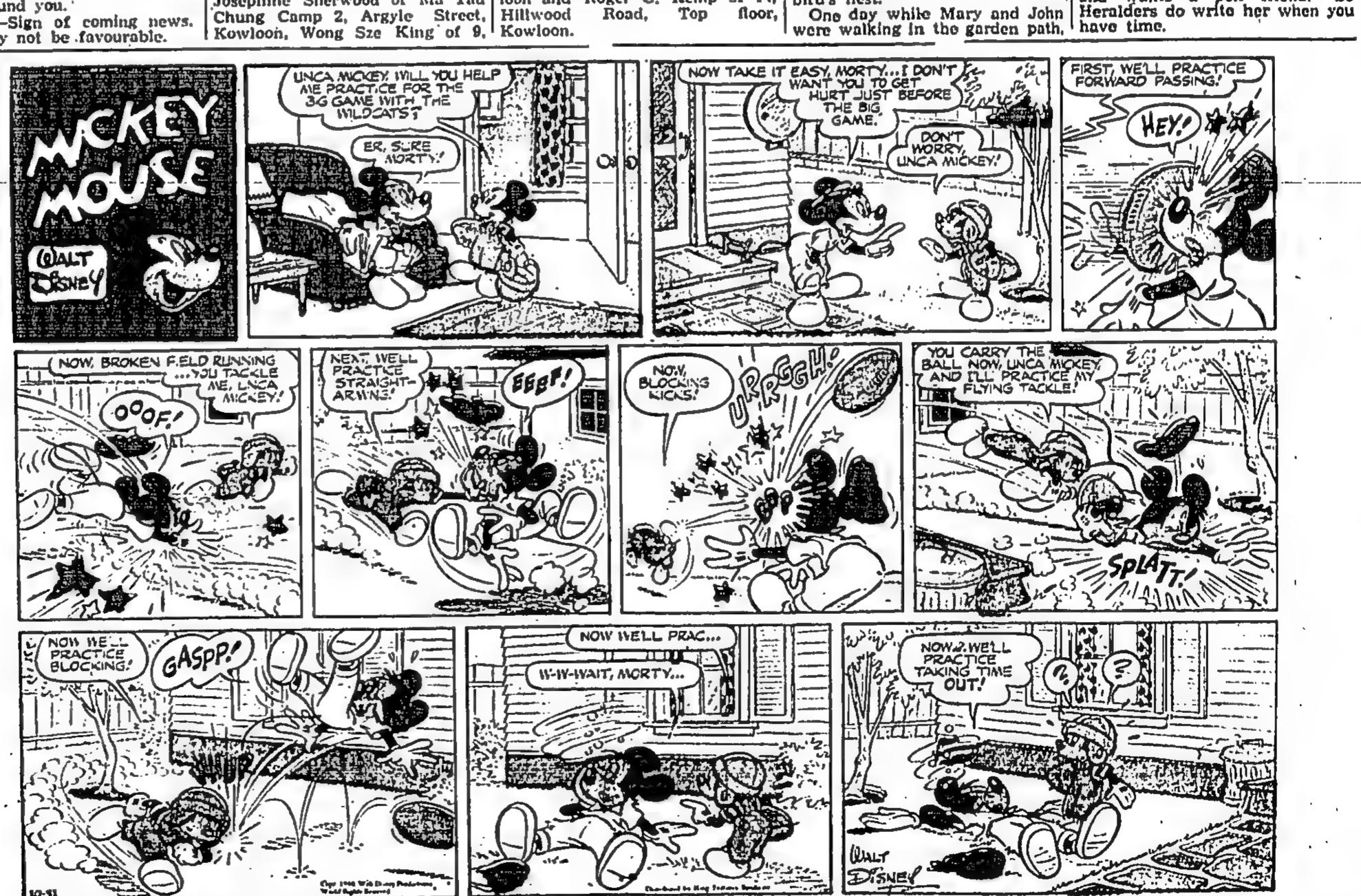
Honour certificate to Odette what she had found.

John wanted to take them out, floor, Kowloon. but Mary would not let him. She said, "It will be levely to watch them being fed by their mother Pen Pals Wanted

Both then went home to have their supper. Now their aunt came to visit them and they had Coralia Gilbert, aged 14, of 214, such an enjoyable came with her Cheung Sha Wan Road, Kowloon?

Honour certificate to Odette Soudza of 32, Hankow Rand, 1st

Will some of you write to that they forgot all about the She's a member of the H.C.C. and wants a pen friend. So



up, as if he had come to a sudden | ship's surgeon had plunged into

"Caroline," he said in an undertone, looking cautiously around him, "we're going to sten away while everyone's asleep. I don't know if we shall gain anything by it, but at least it will be better than this inaction."

The girl rose with him. "What of Ketch?" she whispered. Let him slumber on," Trevor

replied. "He's a self-confessed buccaneer, and we want naught to do with his like."

Accompanied by his sister, he moved quietly towards the dark and silent jungle that smothered the greater part of the island, and a moment later the two children were running blindly along a narrow, winding path,

Strange noises startled them, swift rustlings that broke the stillness, as their tread disturbed small creatures of the jungle and sent them scurrying through the deep thickets. The clammy tendrils of linna-creepers that festooned the trees swept the faces of boy and girl again and again, always bringing a half-choked cry from Caroline until she grow accustomed to their touch on her check.

Then suddenly there was a heavy scuffling movement in front

of the two children. They stopped dead, and, dumb with terror, saw a human form take shape as the fronds of a giant plant were parted.

It was the form of a man who called their names, in a wellremembered voice they had never thought to hear again.

"Doctor Harkness!" they gasped in one breath.

In another instant he had joined them and they were clasping his hands in a silence more eloquent than words could have been. "Oh, Doctor," Caroline stam-

mered at last, "we'd given you up for lost!"

"Thanks to this scalpel I am nlive," he told her, producing a razor-edged surgical knife. had it in the tail-pocket of my cost when Loudon took prisoner, and I managed to reach it and cut my wrists free with it when I was forced to walk the plank. Morcover, I am a strong swimmer and succeeded in reaching the island. But where are the Barracuda and her crew now, and how is it you are here!"

it was Trever who related all

Wonder Questions

When and where was the first newspaper printed? Newspapers in form similar to

those we know began in 1566 - when Venice introduced written news-sheets which cost a small coin, a gazetta, to read. Soon afterwards news-sheets, or gazettes as they called them, were issued in most of the citles of Europe, and they gradually developed into the newspapers we know today.

However, the oldest newspaper in existence is a Jewish newspaper engraved on stone and dating back to at least 700 B. C. It describes the completion of a tunnel and sounds as modern as the newspaper paragraphs of today.

What is the menning of the day. word "ambidextrous?" "Ambidextrous" is an adjective describing people who can write

and right hands. "Ambl" comes from the Latin meaning "both" and "dexterous" from the Latin

"dex(cr" meaning "right hand." The whole word really means that both hands work as well as the right hand.

All at once Trever straightened | that had happened after the young the sea.

"But I had no plan when wo crept away," he added bleakly. "Nor have I any now. When the buccanners awake to find us gone ther will search the island--"

"Trever!" It was Caroline who broke in on him. "Trevor, we have only endangered Doctor Harkness by escaping. In their search the pirates may find him as well. He must not remain with

But she in turn was interrupted by the young surgeon.

"We shall court fickle fortune together," he said gently. "Come, be of good heart. Who knows what the morrow will bring?"

He turned to lend them farther through, the jungle, and the night waned and the stars faded as they nicked their way onward. Soon a hint of rose fringed the East, and up above them birds began to twitter a welcome to the approach-

They finally stepped clear of the thickets and found themselves on the yielding sand of the South shore, with the island's breadth between them and their enemics; and it was as they emerged from the fungle that Trever lifted his voice in a great cry.

Illas A" "Look!" he shouted. A saill" (To Be Continued)

Sally The Orphan

Sally was a ballet dancer and a pianist. Her parents died when she was nine years old. Her father left her a will, but her aunt Mary kept it for herself and Sally was sent to an orphanage.

She soon gained favour from the nuns and also from the friends around her in the convent, for she was very clever and took the important part in every stage play, soon she was known as the best actress of the school. Sometimes she was lent to other schools to act and during her spare time she would write books about ballet and compose songs.

Sally grew up in the convent and gave ballet and piano lessons to the girls; in this way she gained a little money for herself.

At the age of 20, her aunt Mary died and left everything to her as she was the only near relative. Sally now owns two wills, her father's and her nunt's, also a very big house.

When she was 21, Sally left tho convent and did a lot of good deeds by helping the poor people with her money and this made her very, very happy indeed.

Nonour certificate to Alice E. Rodrigues of Argyle Camp 2 Kowloon.

New York children have candi-

date for the man "with the best job in the world."

He is a 58-year-old gentleman named Peter Laurey, and his official title is technical superintendent of the Loft Corporation Factory, Long Island City. It doesn't sound particularly exciting.

But this is what Mr. Laurey has to do. He has to taste 300 different kinds of sweets every

Bars of chocolate, new kinds of gum, liquorice, sherberts, toffees, every kind of sweet you can posand work with both their left sibly think of . . : these are all in the day's work for Mr. Laurey. Peter Laurey is going to Scot-

land this year. And what do you you think he'll do while he's or the other side of the Atlantic? He'll taste sweets, to see how they compare with the ones he tastes in Americal

Here are some bled girls' names. They the very easy to sort out, so try nounce Mr. and Mrs. Penny and and see how many you can do,

(1) Hetseer, (2) Ludye, (3) Nedore, (4) Smaly, (5) Ailju, (6) Ttyeb, (7) Yildn, (8) Tedabeernt, (9) Labem, (10) Llarebalec.

Jumbled Words Answers;

Jumbled Words Answers

Mable, Clarabelle. Julia, Betty, Lindy, Bernadette, Therese, Emily, Doresn, Mavis,

Honour certificate to Sophie Moalem of 13, Cameron Road. 2nd floor.

Inte for school every morning? Sonny: Every time I come to the corner a sign says, "School-Go Slow."

Mr. Penny (to butler): Audaughter. Butler (announcing in loud

voice): Three cents! Tommy: Why are you crying? Bobby: Because Billy hit me. Tommy: Why did he hit you? one.

Bobby: Because I was crying. Teacher: I hope I didn't see you looking at Fred's book, Tommy, Tommy: I hope you didn't, too,

Mother: What do you want to take your cod liver oil with, today, Junior? Junior: With a fork.

Father to son: Son, I am spanking you because I love you. Son to Father: Oh, Dad, I wish

Teacher: Sonny, why are you I was big enough to return your

Jack: How are you getting along in school? Bill: Oh, 'I'm as famous as Napoleon.

. Jnck: How come? Bill: I went down in history.

Grocer (to boy standing near apple barrel): Are you trying to take an apple? Boy: No, I'm trying not to take

"Mother, do they make books out of water?" "No, my child; why do you ask such a foolish question?" "Nothing, only I read the other day about an immense volume

of water." Young Lady: Little bey, what would your father do if he knew you were out on the street this late at night?

Little Boy: I don't know. What does your father do to you?







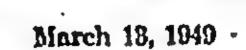












General Sir Neil -Ritchie, -- Com -mander-in-Chici. For East Land Forces, Major-General F. R. G. Matthews, General Officer Commanding, Hong
Kong Land
Forces, and
Lieutenant - Colonel J. D. A.
Lamont, General
Ritchie, arrived here on an inspection tour last week and returned to Singapore on Thursday

Mr. Otto Preminger, well known Holly-wood film producer director visited the Yung Hwa Movie Picture Industries last week. Mr. Preminger is shown here (third from left) with Mr. T. Y. Lee, owner-pro-Lee, owner-producer of Xung
Hwa Studios, on
his left and Mr.
Robert Snody, 20th Century
Fox production
executive, on
Mr. Lee's left.

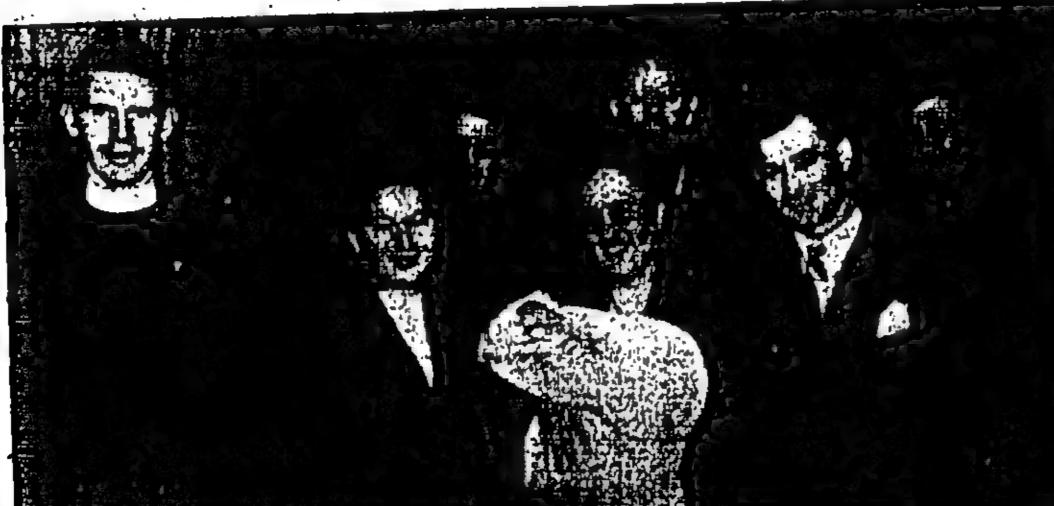
On his arrival here last week, General Sir Neil Ritchie inspected a Guard of Honour at Kai Tak air-field. The guard was drawn from the 25th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery, with Captain E. Bull in command.

SUNDAY HERALD Pictorial

Disturbances were recently caused in Bangkok by dissidents. Troops were called out to deal with the situation. This photo, showing Government troops being deployed in the streets, was taken by Mr. Robin Kelly from his hotel window.









At the christening of Carol
Ann, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. A.
Ostroumoff at St.
Joseph's Church
on March 5.
(Ming Yuen
photo)

Friends who witnessed wedding of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. John's Church on March 5. ("Sunday Herald" photo)



Mr. Eric Himsworth, superintendent
of the Imports and
Exports—Department,
seen off by local businessmen before he
left on the President
Wilson for San Francisco. ("S u n d a y
Herald" photo)

The Hon. Leo
D'Almada e Castro talked about
Portuguese contributions to
Hong Kong's development over
the last hundred
years, at Club
Lusitano. ("Sunday Herald"
photo)



Coming out of St. John's Church after their wedding on March 5 are Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Topping. The bride is the former Miss Kathleen Olivin Barker. ("Sunday Herald" photo)

Mohan Sifiani celebrated, his 10th birthday on March 5. He is the son of Mr.
and Mrs. W. L.
Sitiani, wellknown in Hong
K on g's Indian community.
("Sunday
Herald" photo)

Miss F. A. Cranfield, Matron Grade I.
at Queen Mary Hmpital, (centre) at a
farewell tea given by
friends and colleagues
on her forthcoming retirement. (Ming Yuen photo)





A Perfect China Tea \$5 PER 1 Ib. TIN THE SOUTH CHINA TEA CORP. LTD.

Obtainable at Leading Stores 55, Connaught Rd., C. H.K. 1st & 2nd Fl. Tel. 21397. ONSON The ideal gift for every occasion!

ALONG WITH

In-The Mailbag RUSTY RILEY

VALERIE JOAN TRUEMAN, I am sorry your name was not in the H.C.C. Members column. The reason was because you didn't send In the entry form. So please do.

ALICIA YUEN GARCIA, it's very hard to have a meeting. For you see there are hundreds of Heralders, and it's difficult to find a place to hold all of you. It isdis-appointing, but there's nothing we can do just yet.

LAI LAP HON, the Teen Age Topics does not appear in the Sunday Heraid. It oppears every Wednesday in the "China Maik" The Children's Heroid and the

Teen Age Toples are separate. CORALIE GILBERT, your letter papers were really lovely. I think they are very cute. Thanks for sending them to me,

FANNY HO, yes, you can join the Children's Herald since you like it so much. I'm afraid yu can be a member for a year only, for you'll be too big for it next year. So, let me have your address and your hobbies.

NINA SMIRNOFF, I did receive your Jumbled Words entry but I didn't have it printed as it was names of all movie stars, and many children might not know them.

KATHERINE NOBLE, Let me have your address, age, birthday and hobbies. I will then send you one of our certificate.

NAME: Evelyn Abban.
ADDRESS: 27, Village Road,
1st floor, Hong Kong. AGE: 10.

HOBBIES: Swimming, movies, popular music and comics. NAME: Christine Aitken. ADDRESS: 36, Humphrey's

Hanoi Road, Kowloon. AGE: Five. HOBBIES: Swimming painting, cycling and skating.

NIAMEI: Irene Beatrice Botelho, ADDRESS: 95, Robinson Road.

HOBBIES: Swimming, painting, knitting, writing stories, and collecting stamps.

N'AME: Arnold Botelho. A'DDRESS: 95, Robinson Road. AGE: 11. HOBBIES: Swimming, racing and collecting stamps.

NAME: John Botelho. ADDRESS: 95, Robbon Road. AGE: Eight. HOBBIES: Sports and collect-

NAME: Jennifer Jill Billin-ADDRESS: 18A, Mt. Kellet. Hong Kong.

AGE: 11. HOBBIES: Dancing, singing, music and net-ball.

Swinging On Swing

When I go swinging on a swing, Where I can see over the school. wall, Where people are walking And children are playing. Oh! I wish I could see more.

Higher and higher I will go, Tighter and tighter I will hold. With a wondering mind And a happy time, Oh! I wish I can go higher.

Honour certificate to Sulnia Pau of 25, Canal Road West,

By Frank Godwin

A FEW MINUTES LATER, AS THE CAR PASSES

THAT YOU, TEX ! THERE'S STOP THE CAR A MR. VINCENT BRADY WAIT- A MINUTE . I ING FOR YOU INSIDE . WANT VINCE

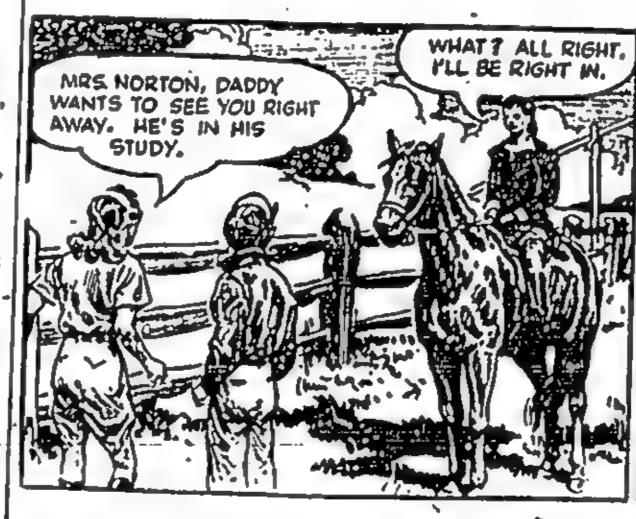
TEX'S OFFICE AT THE MAIN BARN

















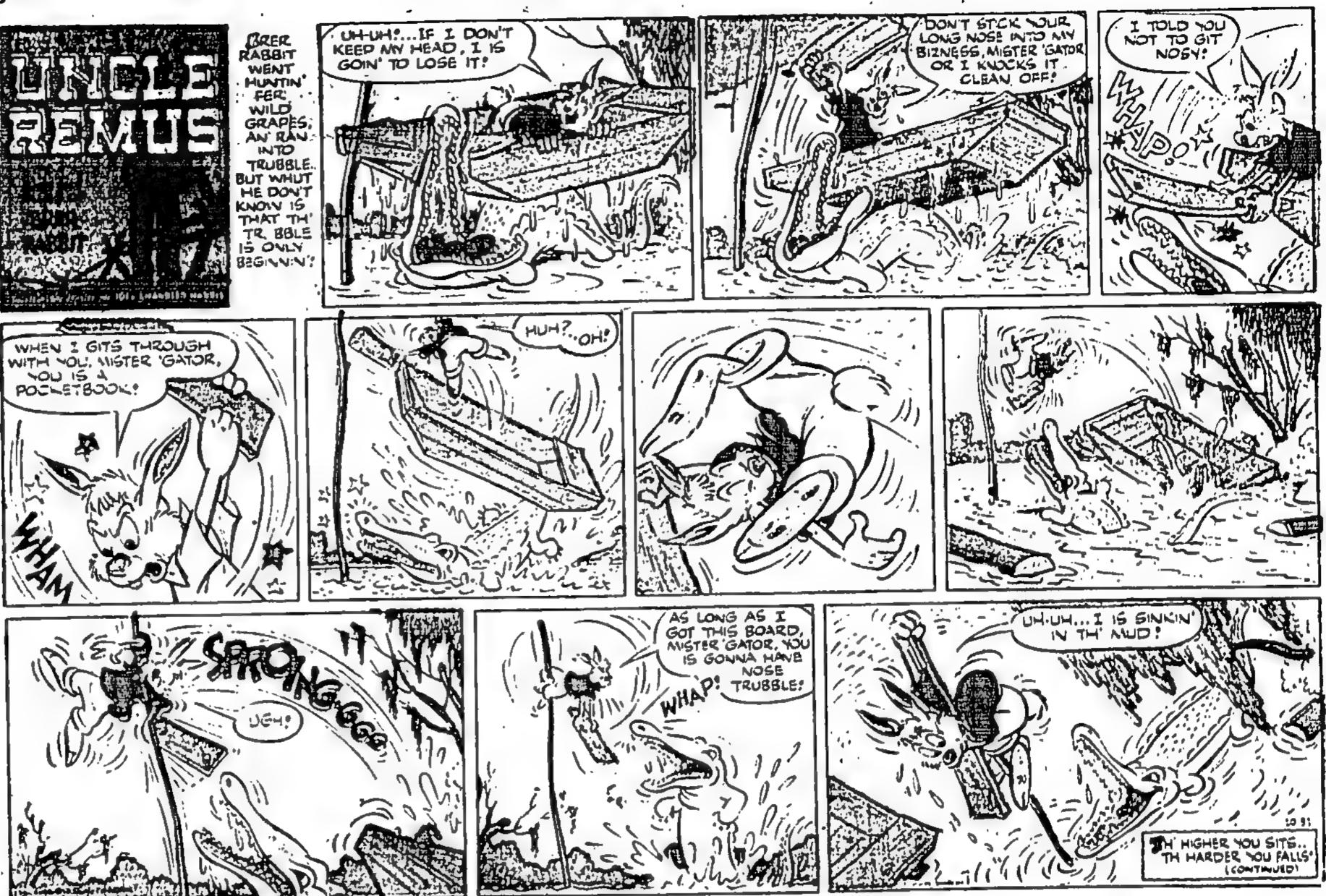












things difficult for everybody, beside her. From the way she was talking down the street together, one might have thought she was three or four times her age.

"Jenny," mamma was saying. "please take my hand; you might cot lost in the crowd."

owh" said Jenny, "L.don't, want

girl of five, and all nice little girls | knew then that she would't have | loon of five like to take their mamma's hand when they are out walking together." "I don't want to be a nice little girl, said Jenny, "I'm a grown-up girl, and L'don't hold hands when I'm out. Big people don't." They walked together for some distance, Jenny keeping just far enough away from mamma so she wouldn't have to take her hand. Then they came to a wide crossing with lots of cars and buses running too and fro.

"You must take my hand now," said mother firmly, making a grab at Jenny. "I will not let you go over this busy street by yourself however big you think you are."

They waited for the lights to change. At least mamma did, Jenny was too anxious to be free. When she saw a break in the line of traffic, she quickly slipped her hand out of mamma's and started off on her own, walking very fast so that mamma would not be able to catch her. But the light ahead was still red and the cars were still rushing by.

Suddenly there was a tooting of horns a screeching of brakes, and the shricking of women who saw a girl lying in front of a bus. Everybody crowded round, the policeman came and the ambulance men. In no more time than it takes to tell, Jenny was being

Jenny was in one of those | hurried off to the hospital, with

bus driver had seen her in time and had been able to stop without running over her.

reache l for mamma's "I like holding your hand, mamma," said Jenny. "Really I do. It

makes me feel better all over." Mamma took the little hand, "Jenny, you are just a little and squeezed it tightly. She any more trouble with Jenny about holding hands.

Honour certificate to Winnie Read of 23, Lock Road, Kowloon. Honour certificate to Winnie Read of 23, Lock Road, Kowloon.

Mr. Forgetful

Once there was a man who "grown-up" moods which made mamma sitting in the ambulance was very forgetful. Now one day he was going to give a party Jenny was more frightened and everything was prepared.

to her mamma as they walked than hurt and she was lucky the The day came, and the party out from under the covers and he got tired of waiting and went to his room. Guess what he found? Well, he found all his in-

as he forgot to post them. Honour certificate to Barbara Lee of 27, Hankow Road, Kow-

"So you're not speaking to Billy. Why not?" "He told me to enter the swim- again and again. ming race and clean up!"



Have you ever seen a robin sitting in front of a mirror and singing to the bird he sees in the glass? "Bobbie," of Burgess Hill, Hampstead. England does this but the cook was afraid the cat often. He cannot understand why would get the brave little robin, was to be held at 8 o'clock. the bird he sees in the mirror and each time he came she chased When the time came he was does not sing too, and he files him out. Then he flew round to waiting and waiting for his close to it and flutters right up to the front of the house and found Presently, a little hand came guests to arrive. None arrived so the top to find out what it means, a welcome there, Then he looks over the top to see When his family were able to where his friend is hiding.

vitation cards still on the table, upstairs room all day long. You mantelpleco or on his friend's may have seen a robin fly into a knee. He does not mind if she has downstairs room, but I do not other visitors, he sings for them, think you have seen one go into too. a room upstairs and stay there In August she noticed that he quite a long time. Bobbie has was beginning to moult, and then been known to make a two hours' for two or three days he did not visit. He sits on the knee of the come. When he returned, he flow owner of the room or on the back to the mantelpiece and sat there

whistled at her window last just as if he did not want her to spring, he was collecting food for | see how badly dressed he was! his family. He would come just inside, onto the window-sill but his friend felt sure that he where the tray was placed pick would come back when he had up some bread and cheese and fly got his new coat. It was a glad home with them. Very soon he day for both of them when he was back for more.

feed themselves, he came as usual Bobble flies in and out of this but stayed longer sitting on the

of her chair and sings to her for a quarter of an hour, a for-again and again. lcrn-looking little bird without a When he first came and tail. He did not go near his friend, Another week he stayed away.

refurned and sang to her again.

Birthday Greetings

On March, 15, DONALD YU of 112, Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong will be 11 years old. On March 18, HENRY CHAN of 7, Li Yuen St. West, 2nd floor, Hong Kong will be 14 years old. On March 19, JANET CARMI-CHAEL of 46 Jubilee Buildings. Kowloon will be 11 years old. Happy Birthday!

Things To Make

PARTY CANDLE: Take a slice of pincapple with the core cut out, insert half a banana in this circle and add a yellow jube or a cheery stuck on the top-and there you have your candle ready Millwood aged 12, of 50, Jubilee Buildings, Sham Shui Po.

My Lucky Horseshoe

I found a lucky horseshoe, Upon the street it lay, I picked it up and took it home-And had good luck that day.

won a lovely bicycle, I took it home with glee, I thought that no one in the world

Was happier than me,

I hung my lucky horseshoo Above the kitchen door; I hope I find another one To have good luck once more.

Honour certificate to Eileen

Look for

CHINA MAIL

PICTORIAL SUPPLEMENT

EVERY

ě

WHAT MEN NOTICE FIRST ABOUT WOMEN

Maybe you think men's first impressions of women follow one fixed pattern. Quess sgain! In February Reader's Digest, various celebs (from wisecracker Bing Crosby to deep-thinker Sir Norman, Angell) confess what hits them first. Read this amusing article. You'll discover that men are not only surprisingly observant—but have devised some very special ways of their own for uncovering clues to feminine character.

(Condensed from Ladies' Home Journal)

Also in Reader's Digest

David Bradley's jub to help guard our task force against radioactivity. Here is his log of what he saw and heard during the bomb tests—a vivid Diary of Doom in which you'll hear (as in a Geiger counter) the clock-tick of warning.

My Story—Jee Louis. Joe talks more here, his family says, then in the rest of his life put together: about his sharecropper childhood... his rise to fighting fame... why Schmeling is the only opponent he hated... how he faced Jim Crow in the Army... and what he's done with his money. (Condensed from Life)

beware the mind-meddler. A little girl had a mental breakdown; a student killed himself—while in the hands of two of the 25,000 "psychological experts" now preying on the public. Dr. Fishbein exposes a new kind of quack . . . gives 4 guides for picking a real psychiatrist.

(Contensed from Woman's Home Companion)

And more than 30 other articles of lasting interest, relected from leading magazines and current books, condensed to save your time. For instance:

Now You Can Slow Down Touth Decay

-news of revolutionary dentifrices.

How to Talk to a Child.

Mark of a Man - Dale Carnegie's one rule for meeting life's trials.
 Story of Amos 'n' Andy.

Jackpot for 1860—glimpse of what the future can hold for us.

And a host of jokes and unecdotes.

-FEBRUARY ISSUE -

Reader's Digest

THE NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE LTD.

Windsor House Telephone 32312

PROBE INTO THE PROBES

History may well call this Britain's Long Nose Parliament. Apart from mass snooping into the everyday lives of the citizens, even peering into house-wives' shopping baskets, no Government has ever probed and prodeded, inquired and investigated with such avidity.

The newest probe was announced recently — a committee to inquire into the activities of contact men.

In three and a half years the Administration has set up two Royal Commissions and one ordinary Commission, and on the stocks are three more Royal Commissions to examine the death penalty, off-the-course betting, and the BBC. It has held two full-dress inquiries, appointed some 20 Committees of Inquiry, and more than 40 Working Parties.

Not Complete

That score is not complete because no central record is kept of the probes that have sat, are sitting, or are to sit. Any Minister can start investigations through his own Ministry without telling the rest of Whitehall, Moreover, some inquiries are never publicly announced.

Among the probes now in progress is an inquiry by a committee of 16 people, nided by two secretaries, which is trying to find out why some waterpipes corrode and burst.

In other times it would have been up to the pipemakers to apply their own experts to a problem like that, at their own expense. Today the cost of the committee of 16 and the two secretaries will be a charge on the taxpayer.

Another committee of 12 men and two housewives is looking into the matter of our weights and measures, and an early report is expected from another probe, appointed by the Ministry of Transport, to decide what sort of facilities petrol stations, especially those in rural areas, should provide besides selling petrol.

This last committee, which is headed by Lord Waleran and has 13 members ranging from union officials to a Home Office doctor, is also considering how many petrol stations various areas should have and whether the stations should pump up tyres by hand or by machinery. Dad will tell you that once, if there were too many garages in a district, the less efficient operators went out of business.

In Scotland nine experts are inquiring into salmon poaching. Most official committees have representatives of all sides, but not in this instance. No poachers have been coopted.

Back in 1947 the Board of Trade appointed a Working Party to investigate the mass of form filling which confronts those who sell British goods abroad. Exporters say they have not noticed any diminution of forms.

Cutting Tape

Of interest to anyone who has ever queued at a Customs barrier is a special Working Party which will visit the big ports and the airports with a view to cutting some of the red tape that enmissions foreign visitors when they arrive here.

What happens to all these probes? They issue reports—often brightly coloured booklets—but it is not always easy to discover what else happens. The 1929-31 Ramsay MacDonald Government also went in for inquiries in a big way, and it is a legend in Whitehall that many of those committees were "sunk without trace."

Inquiring taxpayers have little chance of finding out how much many of these probes are costing them. The expenses of Royal Commissions are published, but the cost of lesser investigations often remains a Ministerial secret and newspaper questions on the subject are not encouraged.

Estimate for last year was that Royal Commissions would cost £108,000.

That figure covers several permanent commissions and the year's cost of two—on population trends and equal pay—that were set up by the Churchill Government in 1944.

But it does not cover Committees of Inquiry and Working Parties. It does not cover the Royal Commission on

By John Hall

the Press, which has been sitting for nearly two years, had cost the tax-payer £10,900 up to last August, and is expected to issue its report within the next few weeks. It does not cover the cost of the Lynskey Tribunal, expected to total more than £9,000.

£5,000 Costs

Up-to-date figures on the cost of the commission to examine and alter Par-

linmentary electoral boundaries have not been issued, but first-year costs amounted to more than £5,000.

Many of the experts who sit on official inquiries are unpaid. Mostly they treceive out-of-pocket expenses, and there are secretarial, witnesses, and other costs.

Estimates for the Press Commission, for instance, for the period April 1948 to April 1949 include near £4,000 for secretaries, clerks, and typing, £1,600 for travel and incidental expenses, £698 for research—and £150 for overtime.

FOOTNOTE: One Royal Commission will soon celebrate its centenary. It is a Royal Commission with a difference. It was appointed for the Great Exhibition of 1851 and has continued in existence to handle a profit of £186,000 made by the exhibition. Shrewdly invested, that profit has helped to build some of London's finest buildings and is still helping the country with awards and scholarships.

BRITAIN MUST FILL AMERICAN SHOPS

By GEOFFREY BARKER

It is touch-and-go for Britain's trade experts in America today, a race against time and American mass production.

Can British goods, industrial and household, gain a firm enough hold here before mass production swings back into its stride, threatening to swamp them from the shops?

Can British quality beat American quantity in the long fight to gain custom that for the most part knows only "off-the-shelf" shopping and never the satisfaction of "made-to-measure?". Can these questions be answered to

Britain's advantage—in time?
To find out, Mr. Neville Blond,
Board of Trade Exports Adviser in the
States, has been making a coast-tocoast tour, studying the prospects of
selling British goods on a nation-wide

His report makes uneasy reading. It is best summed up in the question:

-"Can-Britain-keep her-exports-up?"

The consequences of failure would be alarming. Already, according to the experts, there are unmistakeable signs that failure is all too near....

Slump Danger

Until, recently, Britain has had it all her own way in the American shops. Sales of her cars have soared because U.S. production has been as much as two years behind on orders British household goods, from vacuum cleaners to pots and pans, have been in demand for the same reason.

Now however, as U.S. production speeds up, the sales of some goods, are falling, some are expected to collapse entirely, some have already done so. Car sales are reported to be verging on a minor slump, as Americans are once more able to go to a dealer, order and receive an American car on the spot.

Comments one exporter: "British radiators are highly regarded everywhere in the States, but buyers are now asking for 5,000 at a time and are not interested in taking fower. We just-can't help them—not in those numbers."

Other things beyond the control of the trade exports may torpedo the British market. There could be an-other slump here Mercurial U.S. business and labour interests might suddenly decide to do something about the foreign invasion of their markets.

M-Plan Will Help
On the brighter side, Mr. Blond reports that, given increased production,
British goods are in America to stay.

The Truman election victory made certain that the Reciprocal Trade Agreement; which gives foreign goods a fair chance on the American market, would continue.

Britain's exports may be given another boost when the proposed North American Alliance is formed. America, committed to the Marshall Plan is certain to supply Europe with arms rather than see her fritter ECA funds away on rearmament. In turn the American rearmament programme is likely to create shortages at home which British goods will have a chance to fill.

New Products

There are also such things as Scotch whisky, which is not only selling better but it retails at as much as 10s. a bottle cheaper than the better brands of American bonded whisky.

Cheaper prices are becoming more and more a feature of current British exports.

Also making up for lags in other directions are new British products unheard of until recently.

British drinks, helped by subtle ad-

British drinks, helped by subtle advertising, are becoming firm favourites in New York cocktail bars. The latest in British scarves and pullovers draw admiring crowds.

In spite of anti-British Zionist campaigns and Isolationist efforts to wreck her chances. Britain has already won her market in America. All she has to do now is to maintain it.

Forecasting The Weather

Two Gold Coast men, Messra. F.A.F. Acquash and A.L. Dajabatey, have begun a course in Weather Forecasting at the Air Ministry's Meteorological Office School in London. The course lasts three months during which the students are given instruction in the theory and practise of meteorology and forecasting.

An examination is held at the end of this course. If these two Gold Coast men pass this examination they will both be appointed as Assistant Meteorlogists at Acera airport.

Messrs. Acquash and Djabatey are the first weather forecasters even to be appointed in the Gold Coast. There is only one other African forecaster in West Africa at the moment. He is Mr. Akingbehin of Nigeria.

Listening Rost

English-language programmes and news from the BBC in Lendon can be heard in Hong Kong on the following stations:— (All times are Hong Kong Standard Time) BBC LONDON

(CENERAL OVERSEAS	REKAICE)
4.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.	14.44 metres
	13.82 metrus
6.40 p.m. to \$.00 p.m.	13.62 metres
	16,84 metres
3,80 p.m. to 19.15 p.m.	16.84 metres
5,40 p.m. to tonce p.m.	19.31 metres
12.40 mm to 1.60 mm	25.64 metros
12.00 p.m. to 1.00 p.m.	19.52 metres
	
1.10 p.m. to 2.00 p.m.	19.62 metros
•	16.26 metres
2.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m.	18.68 metres
2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	14.96 metres
	18.92 metres
4.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.	13,92 metres
	•
6,00 p.m. to 1.00 n.m.	16.64 metres
	13.92 metres

News Bulletins are breachest at 9.00 a.m., 12.15 p.m., (dictation speed), 2.00 p.m., 2.00 p.m., 2.00 p.m., 2.00 p.m., 2.00 p.m., 12.00 p.m

RADIO BRAC CETLON

19.84 metres

81.81 metric

88.2 metres

News relays may be heard at the following times: 7.00 p.m. and 12.00 p.m. from Monday to Friday and also at 9.00 s.m. on Saturday and Sunday on the wavelengths indicated

RADIO BINGAPORE

44.81 metres 25.677 metres

30.98 metres 19.61 metres

Programme News

Gertrude Bell, traveller, archaeologist, and naturalist, who passionately loved the East and played a part
in the creation of the Iraqi kingdom,
will be portrayed for listeners in a
talk in the BBC series 'Famous Men
and Women' by Miss V. Sackville-

West, who knew her personally. Gertrude Beil was an extraordinary person in the true tradition of British. travellers in the East. Her life was full of travel and adventure. After her great journey to Hayil immediately before the first world war she became Oriental Secretary and later Director of Antiquities at Bagdad, where she had her own house, and there she died. . She learned Persian and Arabic, translated the poems of Hafix, and studied archaeology. She had a particular gift for writing brilliantly lively and vivid letters, some of which revealed her deep feeling for the desert: she writes 'I never tire of looking at the red gold landscape and wondering at its amazing desolation. I like marching on through it, and sometimes I wonder whether, there is anywhere that I am at all anxious to reach," and again 'it's shocking how the East has wound itself round my heart till I don't know which is me and which is it. I never lose the sense of it-I'm more a citizen of Bagdad than many n Bagdadi born.' (General Overseas: Wednesday, 7.45 p.m.)

THIS IS NEW ZEALAND'

D. G. Bridson, who has written the programme This is New Zealand,' which listeners to the BBC's General Overseas Service will hear on Monday at 5.00 p.m. and Friday at 10.15 p.m. has travelled widely and has pictured his travels for listeners in a series of memorable radio program-

This is what he says about his tatest programme which he recently wrote and recorded in the studios of the New Zealand Broadcasting Service at Wellington: 'In the case of New Zealand, I have attempted to tell the story in terms of the country's history: how it was discovered, by whom, when it was settled, whereabouts, and for what reasons. In the case of a country as old as Britain, this would obviously be impossible—or, at least, hopelessly confusing to a stranger. But the history of New Zealand is so compact, so logical, and so praiseworthy

13.18.19. Highlights

that the task was pleasantly possible, even in the short space of 45 minutes.

Sunday, March 13
General Overseas Bervice

A.M.
10.45 WEEKLY SPORTS BULLETIN.
11.15 MAJESTIC ORCHESTRA—Conducted by Lou Whiteson Billy
Mayerl (plano).

P.M.
12.30 MUSIC FROM GRAND HOTEL
—Pulm Court Orchestra Directed by
Tom Jenkins Dorothy Bond (soprano).

2.15 TIME FOR WORSHIP—from St. Mary's Training College, Belfast, conducted by Monsignor Arthur-Ryan,

4.30 SUNDAY SERVICE—from St. Mary's Training College, Belfast, conducted by Monsignor Arthur Ryan.

by Monty Modlyn.

8.15, 'TAKE IT FROM HERE'—Joy Nichols, Dick Bentley, Jimmy Edwards, Wallas Eaton, Alan Dean, The Keynotes, BBC Revue Orchestra, conductor, Frank Cantell,

summary of private questions on Colonial Affairs in Parliament.

9.15 "SWEET SERENADE" — Peter Yorke and his Concert Orchestra, with Carole Carr and Steve Conway.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL.

10.15 'CONCERTO'. Dvorak's — Violoncello Concerto in B minor (Op. 104) played by Thelma Reiss and the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra, conductor, Rudolf Schwarz. Programme includes Mozart's Overture: 'Marriage of Figaro', and Smetana's Tone Poem; 'Vitava' from the Cycle, 'My Country'.

A series of biographical talks on leaders of British Church life during the past hundred years 'Charles Gore,' by the Rev. Dr. Leonard Prestige.

Monday, March 14.

Eastern Service.

10.30 FROM THE THIRD PROGRAMME Uncle Remus and his
Author—December 9, 1948, was the
centenary of the birth of Joel
Chandler Harris, American journalist and author of the 'Uncle Remus' stories. Daniel George gives an
appreciation—of—the—man—and—his—
work.

A.M.

9.15 LIFE IN BRITAIN.
9.30 'TIP-TOP TUNES'—Geraldo and his Orchestra,
10.30 Joyce Grenfell and George Benson in 'A NOTE WITH MUSIC',

Monckton and Howard Talbot sung by Jean Carpenter (soprano). Kathleen Coxon (contralto), Clifford Deri (baritone), Alec Allen (baritone), and Horace Kenny, BBC Midland Chorus. BBC Midland Light Orchestra, conducted by Gilbert Vinter. Story told by Peter Wilde.

4.00 'THE SMALL HOUSE AT ALLINGTON'—by Anthony, Trolloge.

Adapted for broadcasting by H. Oldfield Box. Episode 7.
4.30 'HAVE A GOI'—The Quiz visits Lydney, the Southern Gateway to

the Forest of Dean.

5.00 'THE 18 NEW ZEALAND'—The story of a Dominion by D. G. Bridson with music specially composed by Douglas Liburn, Recorded in the Wellington studios of the New Zealand Broadcasting Service...'

8.30 'WOMEN'S PROGRAMME'. 9.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN. 9.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT OR-CHESTRA.

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL.

10.15 Eric. Barker in 'WATERLOGGED'

8PA'.

1.45 'COMMONWEALTH AND EM-PIRE'. Tuesday, March 15

General Overseas Service

9.30 Naunton Wayne and Basil Radford in 'HAVING A WONDERFULL CRIME'--Comedy thriller in eight episodes by Max Kester, 5: 'In Deep Water'.

Water'.

10.30 'OUR KIND OF MUSIC'—sung
by Sam Browne and Carole Carr,
with Arthur Young and Mary Mc-

Leod at the plane.

10.45 'COMMONWEALTH AND EM-

Symphony Orchestra Conductor:
Sir Adrian Boult Sylvia Fisher
(Australian soprano) Harold Williams (Australian baritone) In
excerpts from Wagner's Tannhauser'

P.M.
12.30 VARIETY BANDBOX—from the
Kilburn Empire, London, with Albert Modley, Radio Revellers,
Beryl Orde, Tollefsen, Robert
Moreton, Stella Nicholls, Gate
Eastley, and Jackie Allen and Bar-

2.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT OR-CHESTRA. 4.00 MARCHING WITH THE

Conductor: Major A. Lemoine Denys
Darlow (organ).

5.00 FROM THE THIRD PROGRAMME Songs from 'Die Winterreise'—by Schubert (Poems by
Wilhelm Muller) Bruce Boyce (bari-

tone) Frederick Stone (piano)
6.00 AMERICAN LETTER—by Alistair Cooke.
9.15 'VARIETY CALLS THE TUNE'
—BBC Variety Orchestra Conductor:

(flute) and Doris Gambell (soprano)
10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL,
11.45 REPORT FROM BRITAIN—A
weekly talk by Vernon Bartlett,

Rae Jenkins with Gerald Jackson

Wednesday, Marck 16

P.M.
10.30 'THE BRAINS TRUST'—Resident
Team: Compton Mackenzie, P. C.
Hooper, and Mrs. M. A. Hamilton.
Question-Master: Donald McCullough.

lough.
General Oversess-Bervice

A.M.

9.30 'MUCH - BINDING - IN - THE MARSH'.

10.00 'THE STORYTELLER'—'Bonnie Charley's Room,' by H. A. Manhood, Read by Ronald Simpson.

10.15 'STAR VARIETY'—Vera Lynn and Cliff Gordon.

11.16 TWENTY QUESTIONS'—Anona Winn, Daphue Padel, Jack Train, and Richard Dimbleby, who ask all the questions; and Stewart Mac-Pherson who knows (almost) all the answers.

P.M.

2.10 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.
5.00 'CONCERTO'—A series of weekly programmes Beetheven's Piano Concerto No. 3 in C minor played by Leslie England and the BBC Scottish Orchestra, conductor, Ian Whyte. Programme also includes Wagner's Siegfried Idyll.

7.15 FRED HARTLEY—and his Players, with Jack Cooper.
7.45 'GENERALLY SPEAKING' 'Famous Men and Women'—'Gertrude Bell' by V. Sackville-West.
9.15 BBC SCOTTIBH ORCHESTRA—

Conductor: Ian Whyte,
Overture: 'Preclosa' Weber
Symphony No. 1 in E flat.... Borodin
10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL.
10.16 'MUSIC OF THE FOOTLIGHTS'

From Gilbert and Sullivan, to the Present Day—with Mark Lubbock and his Orchestra.

11.45 BALANCE OF EUROPE—A weekly commentary by Andrew Shonfield, on the Recovery Programme,

Thursday, March 17

General Overseas. Service

11.45 'THIRTY YEARS OF BRITISH
JAZZ'-Presented by Hector Stewart.
P.M.

1.00 Roberto Inglez and his Orchestra In 'THE MUSIC BOX'. 3.15 MUSIC FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY-Played by the Irish Rhythms

Orchestra, with the Ulster Singers, and Frank McDonald (tenor), conducted by David Curry.

6.00 SCIENCE AND EVERYDAY

6.00 SCIENCE AND EVERYDAY
LIFE—First of two talks by Anthony Barnett on the importance of
clean food;
7.15 BBC WELSH ORCHESTRA—

Conductor: Mansel Thomas.
7.45 'GENERALLY SPEAKING'—A talk for St. Patrick's Day by James Stephens.
8.15 CELEBRITY RECITAL Pierre

Fournier (violoncello) Solomon (plano).
Sonata in A. Op. 69.....Beethoven
8.45 BRITISH CONCERT HALL—
YORKSHIRE I SYMPHONY OR-

Keep this page for use during the week.

ed by Maurice Miles.
A London Overture...John Ireland
Symphony No. 3 in F.....Dvorak
11.15 'TWENTY QUESTIONS'.

General Overseas Service

A.M.

10.00 'MEET THE COMMONWEALTH'

11.15 BBC NORTHERN ORCHESTRA

--Conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham.

2.15 'MUSIC FOR DANCING'—
Victor Silvester and his Balloom
Orchestra.
4.00 'A LOCK OF THE GENERAL'S
HAIR'—A play for broadcasting by

HAIR'—A play for broadcasting by Jack Loudan.
5.15 'STAR VARIETY'—Vera Lynn and Cliff Gordon.
5:30 CELEBRITY RECITAL Backhaus...

(plano).
Sonata in B minorLiszt
6.00 PLEASURE FROM BOOKS-A
talk by James Langham on Graham
Greene's novels, illustrated by
readings.

GRAMME 'Henry Irving'—A reminiscence by Philip Comyns Carr.

9.15 Bob Gibson and his Orchestra in 'THE MUBIC BOX'

10.00 RADIO NEWSREEL.

10.15 'THIS IS NEW ZEALAND'.
11.45 WORLD AFFAIRS—A survey by
by A. P. Ryan.
Saturday, March 19

Saturday, March 19
General Overseas Bervice

A.M. 9.80 'WATERLOGGED SPA'. 10.00 SCOTTISH MAGAZINE. 10.45 WORLD AFFAIRS.

P.M.
12.30 LISTENERS' CHOICE.
4.30 'TWENTY QUESTIONS'.
5.45 WILLIAM HERBERT (Australian tenor)—'To Julia': Six Lyrics of Robert Merrick, set to music by

Roger Quilter.
6.30 'MASTERS OF DESIGN' 'Mendelssohp'—An illustrated talk by Olive Zorian.
9.15 PERCIVAL MACKEY—and his

Orchestra.

10.00 RADIO NEWBREEL.

10.15 SATURDAY SPORT—Including commentaries on Rugby Union: The Calcutta Cup—England v. Scotland at Twickenham. Commentators: Rex

at Twickenham, Commentators: Rex Alston and G. V. Wynne Jones, assisted by Jock Wernyss: Association Football: Chelsea v. Sheffield United; Racing: The Lincolnshire Handicap, commentator: Raymond Glendenning.

All Times Are H.K. Standard Time

Fortress En Fete

By G. D. K. McCORMICK

Few of the thousands for whom "Gib." was a semi-colon before the full stop of the North American battle front would recognize the Rock now.

It has become the No. 1 winter resort of the Mediterranean area, capturing the tourist traffic as it never did before the war.

New Riviera

People who used to winter on the Riviera or in Italy now come here to spend sterling instead of foreign currency.

best-filled shopping centres for its size in the world. Food is plentiful, most of it is "off the ration", and the colony has shed its wartime drabness and put on festive clothes, especially to entertain colour-starved visitors.

Here are some of the things Gibraltar has to offer the British visitor in

climate: A warmer winter than is obtained in North Africa across the water. The Rock itself, "holds" the sun and keeps off the chill east winds. FOOD: Four-course meals at all hotels and an English dream breakfast of bacon and eggs each morning.

In addition, there are many attractive local dishes such as the delectable, multi-coloured omelette espagnoie, and kidneys cooked in sherry, a famous Andalusian speciality.

DRINK: Gibraltar has never been short of beer, wine or spirits. Its sherry Bodegas are well worth a special visit. Here they produce for you a tone poem in sherry—a line of glasses ranging from the ultrapale to the near—black.

Shop Window

shopping: Main Street—the street so many bored Service men wandered up and down seeking souvenirs—is the "shop window" for Britain's export drive in this part of the world. Its stores are crammed with every type of product. Pressure cookers, nylons at 5s. 6d. and 11s. a pair, gold watches at £15 and gold-plated ones at £5. Clothes are off the ration, and surprisingly cheap.

SPORT: Despite its one square mile of territory, the Rock boasts a number of football, cricket and tennis grounds. Yachting is popular with all the Services, and all sorts of ex-naval craft have been converted by enthusiasts who spend their spare time repainting

and refitting.

NIGHT LIFE is concentrated in Main Street, where cabaret shows continue until midnight. Castanets and tambourines in the hands of traditionally-dressed Spainish beauties are one of the main attractions for

SOCIAL LIFE is centred around the Convent, official title of the Governor's residence. Here First Army leader, Licut.-General Sir Kenneth Anderson, has made himself popular with Gibraltarians by his informal approach and frequent appearances in muftl.

Pass to Spain

Excursions: Tourists have ample opportunities for visiting the border towns of La Linea and Algerias in Spain. Special passes are issued for this purpose.

Yes, the grim old fortress is certainly en feto today. And if you want to know if the change is appreciated, just ask the garrison or the Fleet—or even the tourists!

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE
BRIGADE

Free Ambulance Service Hong Kong Tel: 26093

Kowloon Tel: 50000

Mew Books

The Man Who Was Sherlock Holmes By Peter Quennell

In the spring and summer of 1903, among the slagpits and swampy fields of Great Wyrley, near Birmingham, a sadistic maniac prowled through the night, mutilating cows and horses.

Suspicion fell on an apparently harmless but somewhat uncouth young man known as George Edalji. The evidence against him seemed absurdly weak. Nevertheless, he was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude.

In 1912 British Justice again made one of its more surprising mis-steps. A wealthy old woman was battered to death by a mysterious assailant, who, soon after he had committed the crime, brushed quickly past three witnesses. The evidence they gave was inconclusive and contradictory, but the police pounced on Oscar Slater, a middle-aged German Jew with an unprepossessing private record. He was sentenced first to death, then to life imprisonment.

Both judicial miscarriages aroused a buzz of controversy, and into the thick of each controversy charged Arthur Conan Doyle, seated figuratively on a white horse and brandishing over his builet head a journalistic broadsword. In the end he secured a measure of testice for both uphappy convicts.

After all, even by Scotland Yard the deductions of the creator of Sherlock Holmes could not be disregarded. And yet, strangely enough, in a career that as a whole proved extraordinarily happy there were few things that annoyed him more than the public's habit of identifying him with his most famous character.

A Novelist And A Crusader

The Life of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, by John Dickson Carr, is a book that I have found extremely entertaining from several different points of view. It is a scrapbook of fascinating stories: it contains a portrait of a suc-

stories; it contains a portrait of a successful novelist who was also a born crusader; and it is a study of the odd relationship between a creator and his creature—between Arthur Conan Doyle, a bluff, ruddy-faced hero of chivalry with late-Victorian improvements and the sallow, secretive, and ascetic high-brow who gazed out on to a foggy world from his secluded rooms in Baker-street.

Two personalities could not have presented a more perplexing contrast,

for whereas Holmes solaced his lonely hours with the help of drugs and violin playing. Doyle was a remarkably athletic man, outspoken, pugnacious, hospitable, and physically so strong that, his car having overturned, he saved himself from death by supporting its weight upon his massive shoulders.

No Escaping His Hero

Doyle possibly disapproved of his hero, and undoubtedly disliked him. But there was no escaping the lean detective in the deerstalker and the Ulster cape, whose renown followed him to the ends of the earth, and who received numerous letters of congratulation when Conan Doyle was knighted.

Did Holmes represent an aspect of Doyle that Doyle preferred to disregard? Was there more of Holmes in his creator than ever appeared upon the surface? Such are the absorbing problems set by Dickson Carrs' biography—a book written in the rollicking style that the robust author of "Rodney Stone" and "The White Company" would, I imagine, have thoughtentirely suitable, but which Sherlock Holmes, connoisseur, drug-addict, and violinist, might have considered here and there perhaps a trifle schoolboyish.

He Never Quite Grew Up

My own opinion is somewhere between the two. The biographer shows a juvenile passion for banging on the big drum. But then, it was to the music of a military band, not to the sound of violins and flutes, that Sir Arthur Conan Doyle went marching through existence—a chivalrous youth who never quite grew up, champion of a dozen unlikely causes, ardent lover, devoted husband, always ready with his fists in defence of spotless woman-hood.

The blows he dealt were impartially distributed and an adult son who had ventured to call a feminine acquaintance ugly received across the face his father's vicious backhander.

"Just remember that no woman is

ugly," was the admonition with which this modern paladin quietly drove his lesson home.

Lloyd's Underwriters And Marine Insurance

Marine insurance was an established undertaking in England 350 years ago. Today it is Britain's pride that the London market is the greatest centre of insurance in the world. Its ramifications have certainly spread to every corner of the world, its record of integrity and unimpeachable security. The London marine insurance market comprises a number of famous companies and the unique corporation of Lloyd's with its hundreds of individual underwriting syndicates bound into a corporate body of immense financial strength. It is a market which, with kindred smaller fraternities in Glasgow and Liverpool provides Britain today with a major invisible export. It stands as an international and non-political rock on which rests the whole structure of world trade, and without which modern maritme commerce could not function.

In this market the broker is of . rparamount importance. It is his duty, as the servant of the assured, to obtain for his client the most favourable proposition in the market. One fundamental difference between Lloyd's and insurance companies lies in the fact that the only approach to a Lloyd's underwriter is through a firm of Lloyd's brokers, of whom there are today 230. Isloyd's underwriters have no direct dealings with their policy holders and being strictly nonadvertising, cannot solicit business for themselves. Again, unlike the companies, they have no branches or underwriting agencies at home or abroad; so that the whole of Lloyd's vast underwriting industy is conducted on that 16,000 square feet of floor space in Leadenhall Street, London, which is known to the many hundreds of occupants who throng it daily us as "The Room"

D.P.'s Down Under

By EDWARD BISHOP

Australia is planning a mass migration scheme — including an airlift — that will bring ex-displaced persons into the Dominion this year at the rate of one thousand people a week.

Some have already arrived. For others, air passage negotiations are being carried on. Sea passage arrangements are being made with the International Refugees' Organisation.

Such a mass intake of the ragtail and bobtail of Europe will means that ex-D.P's will very soon outstrip numbers of new-comers from Britain.

Already immigration figures show that 35 per cent of new settlers of new settlers in Australia are of non-British stock.

With a present population of around 7,000,000 people for Australia's 3,000,000 square miles, blunt Arthur Augustus Calwell, the Dominion Labour Government's Migration and Information Minister, has launched a "populate or perish" appeal to the people of Australia, to the British Government and to the International Refugees Organisation.

Must Increase

At the Federal capital, Canberra, Arthur Calwell told me: "Unless we increase our numbers very quickly we cannot hope to hold our own in the future. We shall go down under the surge of people from the east who regard Australia as a great unsettled continent into which the Asiatic masses could pour."

Mr. Calwell wants people. He is fanatical on this point—to the extent that he has refused permission for Australian soldiers of the occupation force in Japan to to bring back their wives and sweethearts. He has told them that if they wish to remain with these Japanese women they must find work in Japan.

That is why he is encouraging to the utmost the intake from German camps. He would prefer to take from Britain, but there are a number of major snags holding up the flow of people who want to come out here from home.

Ex-displaced persons, for instance, are accustomed to camp life under desperate conditions. When they scave Europe they contract to work in Australia under conditions which could not be offered to Britons. They sign along the dotted line that they are prepared to undertake any work for two years to which they may be directed.

The Australian Federal Government reckons thant this is the least that can expected from people who have been lifted out of the misery of a German D.P. camp, given a passage to the sunshine and food of Australia, and found employment at exactly the same wage that an Australian would receive working alongside. Not one of them receives less than £6 a week.

The men are usually sent out to hard labouring tasks on the roads, the railways, building projects, and

on the land. Women are offered hospital or domestic positions. British migrants could not be expected to accept such conditions.

When they land, the D.P. settlers are bundled into trains and taken to a reception centre. But British settlers need homes to go to. And, accommodation being acutely short, British

newscomers under the free ond assist-

ed passage scheme, have to show

them.

However, D.P's coming from Germany go straight into camp for about six weeks for on indoctrination course before being sent out to work.

On most of the jobs to which they are directed they live in camp accommodation. Married men can sometimes find camp quarters for their families, but generally they leave the family at the reception camp and contribute to their keep until they can find a suitable place to live near their

When the two years period of directed work is completed many of them will take well paid jobs under living conditions many Britions would value.

Lane Norcott

Trend

Glancing in the windows of a large emporium recently noticed a curious fact. There is a growing tendency nowadays among those who cater for the public to label unmistakable things with the name of that thing.

Everywhere one sees bath mats marked "BATH MAT," face towels marked "FACE TOWEL," bells marked "BELL," diaries marked "DIARY," nightdress cases marked "NIGHT-DRESS CASE," and lifts and moving staircases—surely most recognisable objects—marked "LIFT" and "MOV-

We are unable to explain this over stressing of the obvious, unless it is that little citizens, having become utterly dependent upon Nanny State for guidance in all things, are apt to dry their faces on their diaries and go to bed in their bath mats if they are not warned in time.

Such a condition of bewildered helplessness is, we feel, well within the bounds of possibility, and—lest you should be in any doubt about it, Elinor—this is the end of the paragraph.

Lane Norcott University

Have you ever dreamed that you were being educated by a newspaper? What an experience that would be for you! To realise that a little of everything—Art, History Science, Opinions, Racing—was constantly going in at one glazed eye and coming out of the other, like politics off a beaver's back.

Yet what a social success you could be in a Cultural Centre if only you knew enough to turn to some beautiful girl and say quietly: "Think of it, Miss Primbody! Leonardo da Vinci (1452-1519) wrote backwards with his left hand!" or "Are you aware Miss Woon, that the correct name for your thighbone is 'femur'? It says so in my dictionary!"

Try your wits on this General Knowledge Quiz compiled from handy text books by our refined staff of learned newshawks:—

1. What well-known author wrote H. G. Wells' "Outline of History"? 2. One of these characters was known as "The Moody Dane" — Hamlet/Romeo / Nero / Hero / Julius Caesar / Juliet/Jorrocks. What was his nationality? 3. Who said "Scribble, scribble, scribble, scribble, scribble, acribble, eh, Mr. Gibbon! The world's greatest newspaper, what!"? 4. Name a simple wild flower.

If you falter in your answers then plainly you have been educated the hard way. Let US be you Alma Mater, and have rome fun.

Fostering mother.

Worry Corner

One of the 874 assorted reasons why this tiny department will never really understand women (although it loves to bounce them tenderly on its knee, particularly when they are beautiful and kind) is to be found in a recent proposal put forward by the Married Women's Association—the President of which, by the way, is none other than that prominent home girl, Dainty Dr. Summerskill herself.

Here is the proposal which the Asso-

ciation wishes to make law:
"Wives should have the right to the
whole of their household savings—that
is, any money they save from their
housekeeping allowance. Such money
should be hers completely."

Well, if words still mean anything at all in this fair land—which, personally, we doubt—then those few ill-chosen topsyturvy ones mean that a house-keeping allowance is almost anything except an allowance made for the specific purpose of house-keeping; and that any husband who pays for good food has no right in law to expect it if his wife prefers to buy bad food and keep the change.

SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 1949.

Querto 1/000

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- between the Egyptian Government and the Sucz Canal Company. What nation controls the Canal, and what perceptage of shares does Britain bold?
- 2. Who was the engineer who built the Canal? What nationality was he?
- 3. Which one of England's kings was canonised, who was his father and when did he reign?
- 4. Who was the last ruler of the Austro-Hungarian Empire? (Be careful, it was not Franz-Joseph.)
- 5. If you are of the older generation, you may have read the novels of Ouida. What was her real name?
- 6. Ronald Colman needs no introduction. But do you know with what city in the Far East he has family connections?

(Answer on Page 2)

NEWS QUIZ

- One of Britain's colonial governors has been the central figure in a dispute with the Colonial Office. Who was he?
- 2. It was revealed in Rosyth during the week that a Royal Navy ship has been in wireless touch with Hong Kong from a very much out-of-the-way spot. What was the ship and where was she?
- Buckingham Palace announced on Tuesday that the King is to undergo an operation. What is the operation called?

Dr. Sun Fo, the Chinese Premier,

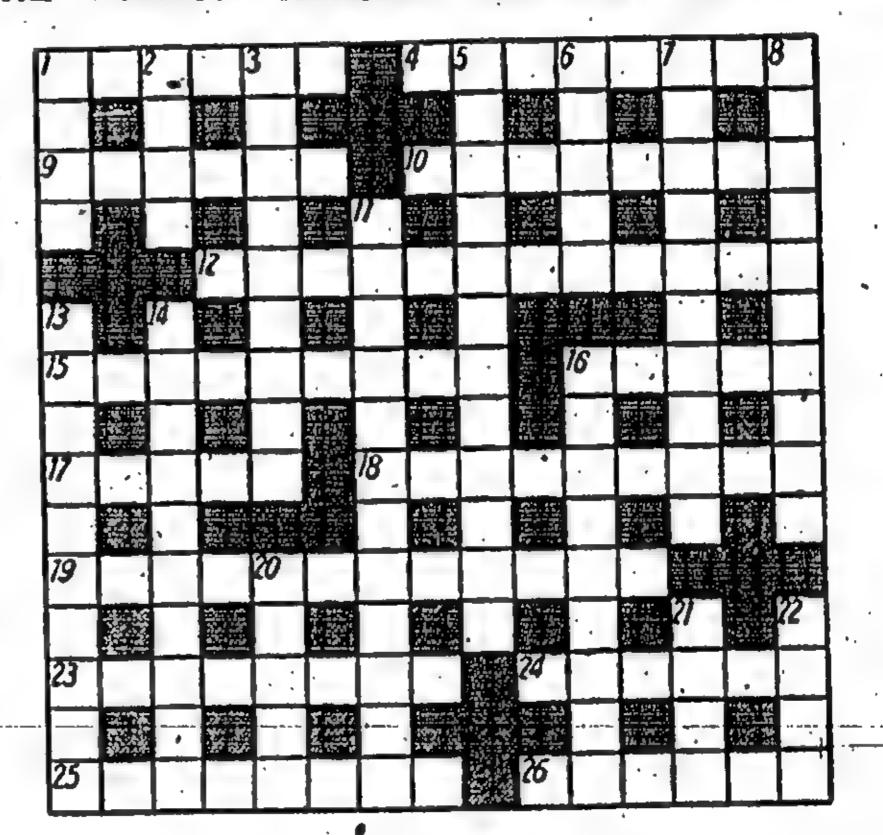
- who resigned during the week, is the son of an even more famous father. Who was he?

 5. England has just won a Test Match rubber. Whom was England play-
- ing and how many matches did she win?

 6. A news story in the cables last week was described as "The Big Mystery."

What was it?
(Answer on Page 3)

THE SUNDAY HERALD CROSSWORD No. 98



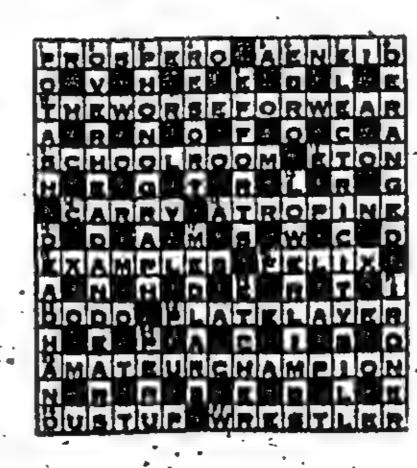
Across

- 1 Split advertisement leaves one at the mercy of circumstances. (6) 4 "I am an intellectual chap
- And think of things that would—
 you." (Gilbert) (8)

 9 Dish the refrigerator would not
 keep fit for eating. (6)
- 12 Destination of the rabbit's ball?
 (3, 3, 6)
 15 Material for weaving the iron curtain? (5, 4)

The grandfather clock? (3, 5)

SOLUTION TO No. 97



- 16 Should have been good about Christmas time. (5)
- Christmas time. (5)
 7 Did these officers have no sex? (5)
 8 Get together with Mr. Tunney as a rule. (9)
- 19 He does a musical turn on the barrel. (5,7)
- 23 Indicating no gin, Ted. (8) 24 Movement of the little nipper?
- 25 Lacking an inventory, so naturally not interested. (8)
- 28 Don Quixote's mount? (6)

Down

- 1 A 16 must open with it. (4)
 2 They should rise and shine, ob-
- viously. (4)
 3 Noise of tripping? (9),
 5 Suitable inside for a cost of nims?
- 5 Suitable inside for a coat of alms? (6,6)
- 6 But hardly outdoor. (5) 7 The flower of elernal French 6 feminity. (10)
- 8 Dobbin's is carte? (5,5)
 11 But do these beverages give more power to one's elbow? (6,6)
- 13 Has the makings of the ideal-roast.
- ownership, (10)

 Clear time for White Friar, (9)
- 20 It was a sight for Vasco da Gamaon Christmas Day. (5) 21 Hold a metrical examination. (4)
- 1 Does this saw worry its way, through? (4)



BRUDGE

In a recent rubber, North (dealer) said "Pass," and South, mistaking this for "a Heart," bid Two Clubs, an inadvertent game-forcing opening bid. The strange bidding which followed ended in an 800-point penalty.

In the discussion which (naturally) followed, North said that the new laws abolished "No bid" and substituted "Pass." This was wrong, "No bid" has long since been the British formula and remains such. The American formula is "Pass," Among Americans there can be no confusion because 'Pass' is pronounced in a rather Gallic way, while "a Heart" is pronounced in a rather Germanic way, the two sounds being widely different.

The new laws do not direct us to use any specific formula in passing. We can say "No bid" or "Pass" or "By me," or, in fact, anything within reason. What we are not allowed to do is to alter our formula and say "No bid" at one time and "Pass" for something else) at another time as this would sayour of a code. The proprieties (in the laws) direct us "to refrain from varying the formulae used in calling."

The wording "North (dealer). One Heart; South, Pass" in the footnote on on page 15 of the laws seems to have been the cause of the mistaken view that "Pass" has taken the place of "No bld." The wording is unfortunate, and it is hoped "No bid" will be substituted in the next British edition. In international matches where bidding is in English there need be no confusion if British players use "No bld," The "Pass" of a foreign (as well as an American)' player cannot be mistaken for a Heart; what formula he uses is, therefore, of less importance.

Wide Range Of Production On Scottish Industrial Estates

During 1048, some 58 firms obtained possession of new factories on the Scottish Industrial Estates. Of these, 33 were of Scottish origin. They occupy over 1,250,000 square feet of factory space and when in full production they will give employment to 14,000 people. This brings the number of new firms for whom factories have been built since the end of the war to 111 and total floor space they occupy is over 2,500,000 square feet. The Scottish Industrial Estates too,

have been entrusted with the task of adapting former Government factories. It is estimated that ultimately these will give additional employment to 21,00 people. The number of tenants in estates and ex-Government factories, administered by Scottish Industrial Estates is now 237 occupying more than 7,500,000 square feet. When fully developed they will employ 55,000 people.

There is a wide variety of produc-

tion. Over 53 per cent of of the space is occupied by firms engaged in light engineering while next in order of extent are the electrical, textile, clothing, food-stuffs, scientific instruments, clocks and watches industries. The majority of the firms in production on these estates will be contributing to the important Scottish Industries Exhibition at Kelvin Hall, Giasgow, from September I to September 17.

By KEITH BUTLER.

Greece this year-UNLESS.... Unless the Americans, who independence, change their policy radically. Greece is going the same way as China.

The American Missions in Greece - the Aid, ECA and Military Missions-tend to blame all weaknesses for the Gracks. Military Mission Communiter, Entertaint General James Van Thet, counters all Greek requests Greek Army with the reliake that mented, and not the quantity.

that increased strength and support would bring with it an improvement in Greek morale. The any moment they might suffer the same fate as China and be loft to resist Cominform pressure from both inside and mitside the frontiers practically unaided.

Nobody, least of all the Greek Government and Army are per-of very high ensualties. Another feet. But, they argue, it's the year of these indecisive victories best we can do right now under will bring them to the point of difficult circumstances, and after secepting any compromise with eight years of war, occupation the Communist "Provisional Deand guerilla terrorism and des- morratic Government" rather than truction. Anyway, they say, we continue the terrible, costly reckon we are fighting for Wes- struggle, in which, they are betern Democracy, here in these ginning to believe, the Western Greek mountains, against the ag- Denweracles have let them fown, gression of Russian-Slav totalitori- And a compromise with the Comanism. From the General to the munists, in the post-war history of Private, every Greek soldier- Eastern Europe, means simply the and civilian-will tell you this

Why, then, is Greece in danger of recombing to the Communist pressure?

Military Situation

Take first the military situation. On paper the Greek Army has a total of 107,000 men against the appreciable difference to the proguerillas fighting strength estimated at about, 25,000. But th's is the guerilla first line fighting strength. To these must be added which they blame the Americans. all those men and women through- The Gorgopotamos bridge is an out the country, who, by persua- example. This was a fine railway sion, sympathy or force, are giving bridge carrying the main line beorganised ald to the guerilla tween Athens and Salonika over a bands. Aid in food, clothing, gorge. It was blown up during sporting of supplies, etc.

terrorism, sabolage and assas guerillas. sinations in the towns, striking at civilian morale and security in the Army's rear.

In mountain guerilla - warfare | the guerillas incyltably have the initiative most of the time. They live off the land, by looting and forced contributions: they have practically no suply and line-ofcommunications problem: transport of ammunition is done by conscripted civilian labour; and they supply themselves either from the neighbouring states on Greece's Northern frontiers or front caches the occupation years, when the Communist plot against Greece guerlias and the end of the threat was first hatched.

Out of its 197,000 men the Army has to find large garrisons to be loft in strategic centres for the guarding of town populations buildings, utilities and the hospiagainst large-scale guerilla raids of 3,000 to 4,000 men-such as the recent ones against Naoussa, Karditsa, Karpenissi, Florina. It has to guard the bridges, passes and these conditions, aggravated by main rail and road routes.

water-supplies and power stations and support reaches Greece from have to be protected from sabotage, the West this year, she will go Even, the peasants gathering the same way as China-and so harvests in the fickle have to be will the "Med". guarded against guerilla raids aiming at forcible recruitment and looting. Security centres, where the peasants are being concentrat-

Glands Made Young Vigour Renewed Without Operation

If you feel old before your time of suffer from nerve, brain and physical weakness; you will find new happiness and health in an American medical and health in an American medical discovery which restores youthful yigour and vitality quicker than gland operations. It is a simple home treatment in tablet form, discovered by an American Doctor. Absolutely harmless and easy, to take, but the harmless and easy, to take, but the newest and most powerful invigourator known to science. It asts directly on your glands, nerves, and vital organs, builds new, pure blood, and works so fast that you can see and feel new body power and vigour in he to 48 hours. Because of its natural action on glands and nerves, your brain power, memory and eyesight often improve amaxingly.

- And this amaxing new gland and vigour restorer, called VI-Tabs, is guaranteed. It has been tested and proved by thousands in America, and is now available at all chemists here.

Get VI-Tabs from your chemist today. Is now available at all chemists here. Get Vi-Tabs from your chemist today. Put it to the test. Hee the big improvement in 24 hours; Take the full bottle, which lasts eight days, under the positive guarantee that it muse make your full of vigour, energy and visibly, and feel 10 to 10 years younger or money back on return of empty package. A special, double-strength bottle of 48 Vi-Tabs costs little, and the little, and the little, and the little, and the

I'm putting the odds at 6-4 ed from their farms for greater position. This is the conclusion that the Iron Curtain will enfold security and to try and ensure to be drawn from two recent some continuity in agricultural public statements. production, have to be guarded by the overworked army in collaborahave undertaken the respon- tion with the gendarmeric. After Cloy, the American President of sibility of preserving Greece's fulfilling all these duties, the first- the World Bank (which with its line Greek Army fighting force available to give battle be not very finances business projects on an

Greek Guerillas

What it boils down to, finally, in that the present numerical superlarity of the Lireck Army over the guerillas is just enough for more arms or an increased to gain a victory in a straight battle where the guerillas stand it's the quality that r at he aug- and fight. But it is not enough to prevent the guerillas escaping He perhaps overlooks the fact from the Army's pincers and attacking in another part of the country immediately afterwards. There are not enough troops to tackle all the main greerilla groups Greeks are still terrified that at simultaneously and thus finish the military problem inside Greece.

> Now the soldiers and their civilian relatives and friends see no practical gain from all the campalges fought and won by the Greek Army last year at the cost first and main step towards cominform domination.

The Greeks ask for enough men, arms and money to be sure of finishing the job. Better risk being extravagant once, they say, than give aid in small doses, each of which is absorbed and disappears before it can make any blem. And that's what's happen-

There is another wastage for

American Aid

Greek labour, with American direction and money, has just re- cial basis. paired the Gorgopotamos Bridge But lack of security in the area allows no trains to run on i this line . . . and several score of troops are tled up in guarding it from being again blown up by the guerillas. American Ald and supervision have done a fine job in - reconstructing Greek roads, ports and much of the railway netlaid up in the mountains during work. But real reconstruction can only follow the defeat of the

> In the guerilla raid on Nuouesa last month every factory was destroyed as well as all public tal. Under present guerilla tactics, every Greek town runs this danger. It's useless to look for. Greek economic recovery under crippling taxation, absurd interest rates on bank capital loans and utilities - especially steady inflation. Unless real aid

GREECE TOO MAY FALL COMMONWEALTH DEVELOPMENT A SOUND PROPOSITION -

The realistic bankers of America regard the development of the British Commonwealth as a sound business pro-

In Washington, Mr. James Memuch superior in numbers-or, in international scale,) said that the fact, in wearfons-to the guerillas, plans of Britain's Colonial Development Corporation were much sounder and more significant than some of the paper plans that have been drawn up elsewhere? He indiented that the Bank was considering lending money to the Cor-

In Jamalea, Lord Trefgarne, the Chairman of the Colonial Development Corporation, revealed that he anticipated receiving a loan of some £4,000,000 from the mic investment on which interest will have to be paid from C.D.C.

should help to develop the back. Allied offensives of the Cold War. ward areas of the world under a scheme parallel to the Marshal Plan for Europe.

So far, Mr. Truman'o Idea is no more than a political and time before it is clear whether the U. S. can find the money and the technicians for developments on a world-wide scale. Mr. Truman's auggestion is that America, either with Government funds or by guaranteeing the investments of listening in. American husiness firms, and by encouaging American technicians to work in backward areas should do on a world wide' scale the kind of work velopment Corporation is already doing in the Common-

money, shelter, information, tran- the occupation by British and in persuading American money fashions. Benjamin British Russian with his neighbour in Greek saboteurs to prevent the and expects to go to work in under- music, the way Americans spend Sweden, Britain, France or the Germans sending supplies to developed areas is clear. It has their holidays. Britons ride to U.S. prove for more effective. Counting these, American Intel- Rommel via Greece. Many other already been demonstrated by the work, all kinds of information ligence officers reckon the or- bridges were blown up similarly C.D.C. who, seeking 30 geologists about the West that will correct ganised guerilla force, at nearer during the occupation. Others in America, have so far failed to the distorted image presented by result of the experiences, of one 150,000. To these must be added were destroyed by the Germans tempt a single one away from the the Communist authorities. the "Alfto-amyna" or "Self De-jand Italians as they withdrew, greater salaries and famillar surfence" units, carrying out acts of Some have been destroyed by the roundings of their home country.

wealth.

proving that the largest scale development of the Commonwealth can be done on a sound commer-

Large Resources

Set up by Act of Parliament in 1948 the C.D.C. has resources of £110,000,000 for its work. This compares with the £50,000,000 which is available to the Oversens Food Corporation— the body which runs the much publicised Groundnuts scheme,

The C.D.C.'s method of operating is to examine all ideas suggested to it by private firms who have plans for developing Colonial resources. Those idens which it considers economically sound, likely to show tangible returns both in money and in benefits to the Colonial territory involved, the Corporation backs with capital and, if necessary, with trained

The Corporation also examines dovelopment projects on its own initiative, and where it feels if can usefully do so, it goes into business on its own account.

A DAILY

COCOMALT



GIVES YOU

VITAMINS IRON, CALCIUM & PHOSPHORUS

OBTAINABLE EVERYWHERE

By A.L. Hutchinson

The C.D.C, thus tries to combine the sound business ideas of private enterprise · firms with its own financial resources, and, where necessary, supplements it with its own enterprise.

Projects aiready under way include one in Gambia (West Africa) where Africans are being taught large-scale poultry

And egg production, and 10,000 acres of forest are being cleared to produce grain to be fed to the poultry and pigs. For this the C.D.C. invested £500, 000 and brought West Indian expects from the Bahamas. Gambia within a year or two should be sending large quantitles of poultry products to Britain, and at the same time

"VOICE OF AMERICA" CALLING USSR & CO.

By Rodney Campbell ...

not be charity, but a shrewd ccone switch and a Russian begins their lives to obtain it. speaking into a microphone.

land on Lord Island, other en- action" was confidential, These World Bank and C.D.C. gineers are standing besides a thought the Red efforts to counschemes are not in any way relat- huge transmitter, one of 23 that | teract the "Volce" were the best ed to the much discussed sugges, are nightly riddling the Iron Cur. proof of its success. tion recently made by President | inin from two directions in one of Truman that the United States the biggest and most successful Broadcasts Jammed

The Russians, and to their satel- been jammed, Almost every week other transmitters at Woolferton, holies, the "New Times Magaeconomic idea. It will be some a small village near the Welsh zine," devote columns to arguing border are relaying the program- the point with the men in New Russian to Moscow.

> Top-secret reports from travellers and agents inside the Soviet Union have given the U.S. State Department the Information that more than 8,000,000 Russians arc

Daily Service

in Russian which can be heard analysis and news features. Only that Britain's Colbnial De- from Omsk to Tomsk to Viadivos- 2 per cent, is devoted to music. tok and back again. It is telling the Inteiligent minded Russlan and his friends the truth about avoid direct propaganda of the the Berlin Blockade, the Marshaft "Overthrow your Government" That there will be difficulties the latest stories of Fifth Avenue sons of the day-to-day life of the

Programmes in Polish, Czech He is Charles W. Thayer, the and Hungarian, even in Korean, head of the International Broad-The C.D.C. is already at work are telling the people of the casting Division. Although he is and the Far East.

World Bank within the next few | Every evening at 4 o'clock at the corner of two busy streets, where it is developing the producweeks, to purchase equipment from (midnight, Moscow time) an that is the nerve centre of the tion of tung oil, used as a basis for weeks, to purchase equipment from (midnight, Moscow time) and truth offensive. Its files contain dollar areas, which is needed for engineer in a New York City secret information brought back the C.D.C's work. This loan will control room pulls down a from Russia by people who risked

> An official told me that al-Out on a low-lying stretch of though most of the "Russian re-

The offensive is called "Voice of At both Moscow and Vindivos-America," and it is beamed to All tok reception of the "Voice" has lites. It is also a strictly Allied the news-print-starved "Pravda," where necessary, technical assistaffair, for British engineer besides "Izvestia" and the Soviet holy-of- ance as well. me and the words of the mystery York, But even that is good news of the Colonies' resources. These for the "Voice." It is free publi- Colonial resources, even before the

The "Voice of America" is really the International Broadcasting Division of the U.S. State Department. Senior officials carefully vet the programmes before transmission. They also arrange a division of the radio time available. At the moment 48 per cent The midnight programme is of the message to Moscow is part of a 90-minute dally service rstraight, news, 43 per cent, news

But every care is taken to

This psychology is probably the

satellite countries how their coun- still in his late thirties, the broadtries were really taken over by shouldered radio-man has spent the Cominform, telling them the seven years in Russia and many truth about the rest of Europe wartime days with the British and American "cloak-and-dagger" forces behind the lines in Yugo-I spent several hours last week slavia. He knows the Communist in the gloomy Manhatten building mentality.

The Gambia idea Illustrates simultaneously the three main

- To help the backward
- To develop Commonwealth natural resources.
- To make money (not necessarily in any one financial year but over a period of years) in sound business propositions with the pro-"fits ploughed back into further development plans.

In addition to Gambia, the C.D.O. is already in business in Nyasaland (Central Africa); where it is also providing money to increase the Colony's output of

There is no practical limit to the possibilities for the 'development more dollars than the Colonies were spending-in early 1948 net carnings were at the rate of 150,-000,000 dollars a year.

With the C.D.C's own £110,000,-000 resources, the prospect that the World Bank may invest money and eventually the possibility of American technical skill being added to British ability, the "British Colonial Empire Ltd.", as .it being really "big business".

That business should show good people at home.

the Colony will have been helped to overcome its present economic and social backward-

purposes of the C.D.C:-

- peoples of the Common-

Tung Oil,

These schemes are already under way. The C.D.C. is also at present investigating projects o all sorts throughout all parts of the Commonwealth. Those projects, if accepted as financially sound, and as desirably from the point of view of the Colonies themselves, will be backed by the C.D.C. with sums varying from a few hundred pounds to, in some cases, several millions, with,

Britain, in the shape of better Colonial conditions, more food,

WEDGEWOOD DINNER SETS

Your Choice of Two Designs in

"Moss Rose" on Edme

Service for 6 and 12 place-

settings, including sauce bonts and stands, platters and vegetable dishes.

Lane Crawford's

CHINA and GLASSWARE

First Floor.

WANTED IN U.K. FOOD PARCELS FROM AUSTRALIA

Have you yet realised how much your Relatives and Friends in the Old Country would appreciate C.D.C. began work, were earning the gift of Food Parcels to supplement their meagre

Then don't waste time but

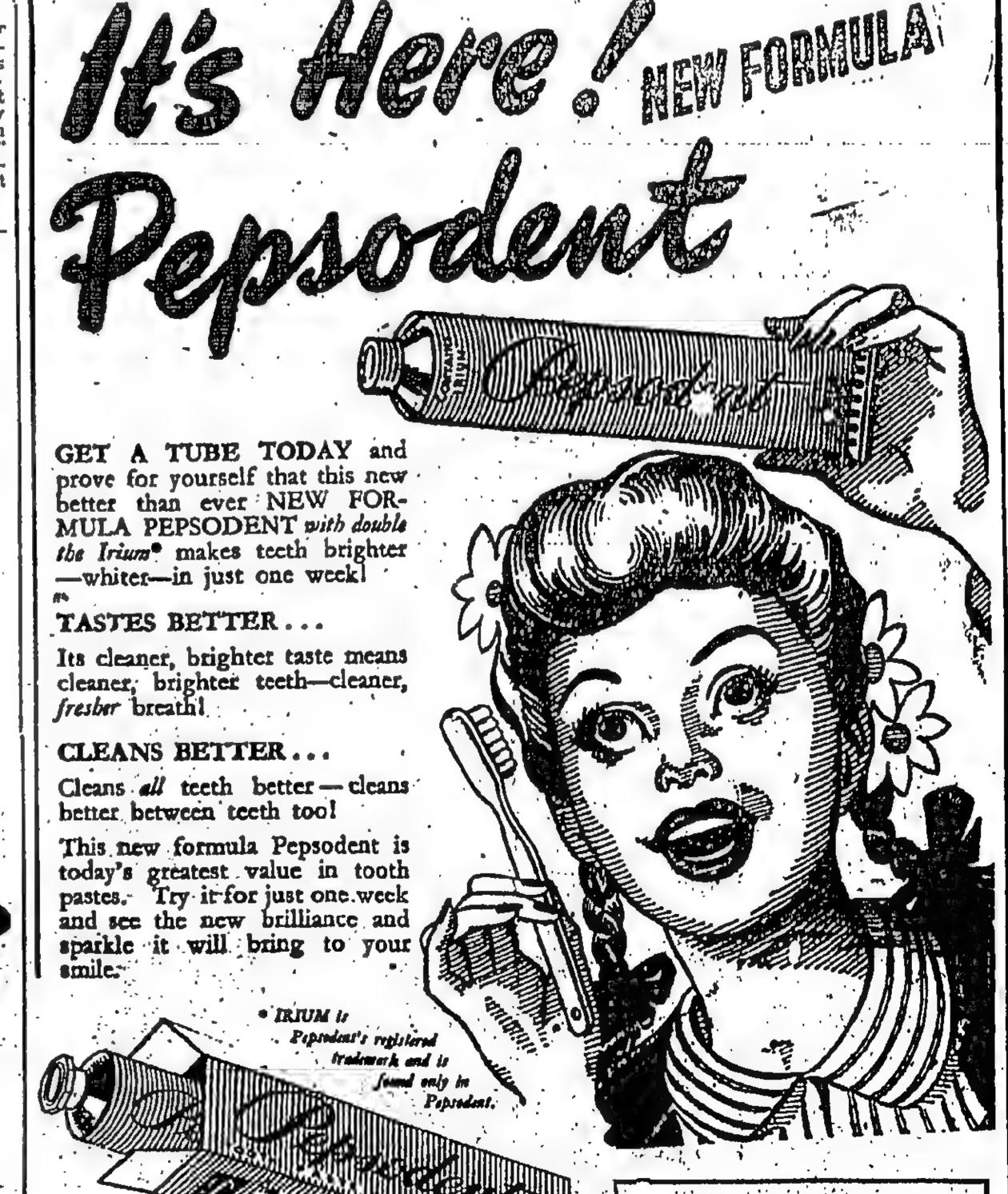
Phone, write, or, call on

DANBY & HANCE,

Alexandra Bldg.

might well be called, looks like and arrange for one of their standard hampers to be despatched regularly from Australia to your

Prices ranging from \$11.00 to \$25.00 cover more raw materials and more Packing, Postage and Insurance.



FULL SIZE in the tailored-to-fit

CANDY STRIPE CARTON

TWICE THE IRIUM' New formula Pepsodent gives more active penetrating foam for greater cleansing power. Removes all the film that makes teeth look dull.

NEW PORMULA PERSODENT IS NOW AVAILABLE AT ALL CHEMISTS AND STORES

SUNAIRE finishing touch

Venetian BLINDS

accentuate the beauty of your window treatment . . . climinate undesirab's views . . . insure privacy diffuse light . . . and regulate ventilation. Obtainable At:

> LANE, CRAWFORD, LIMITED. SINCERE CO., LTD. WING ON CO., LTD. FURNITURE DEPARTMENT.

Sole Agents: HOME FURNISHINGS

Designed for the Stars of Hollywood

avadable exclusively from

16 Gloucester Bldg., Des Voeux Rd., C.



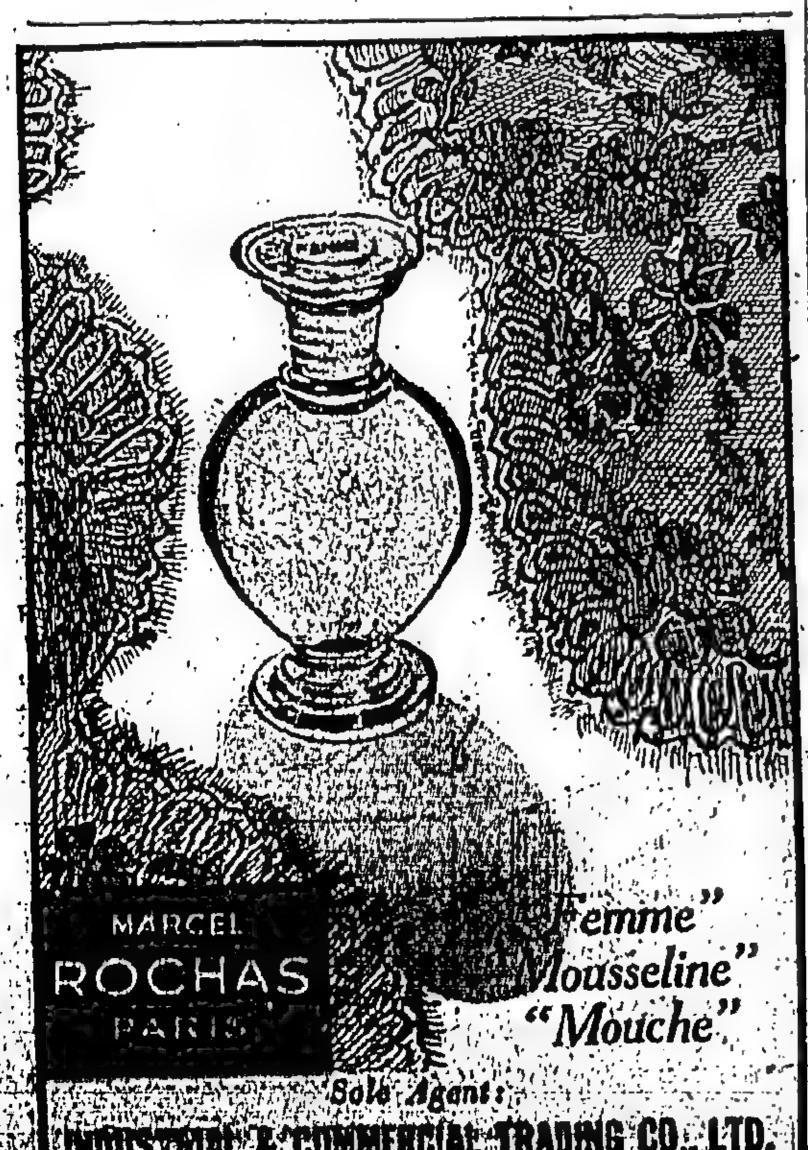
JUST UNPACKED:-

SPRING TOPPERS BRIDAL GOWNS DINNER GOWNS AFTERNOON FROCKS SPRING SUITS LINEN, COTTON DRESSES STRAPLESS SWIMSUITS WHITE, LUSH COLOUR PUMPS, PLAYSHOES ITALIAN STRAW SANDALS HANDBAGS, ETC. GAGE STRAW HATS

Above exciting new spring and summer lines are all "EXCLUSIVE MASTERPIECES" expertly selected by our own representatives in New York. We're sure you'll love them as much as we do! Come-see them.

MODE ELITE

Direct Importers of Lastword Originals 22, Queen's Road, C. Hongkong, Tel. 24052.



WEEN OURSELVES

QUICK CHANGE ARTISTRY Spring In America Janet Martin

amusing.

pockets in unusual places; wide,

jackets, and buttons everywhere

In materials too, there is news.

suits, and rayon faille for later

In Many Versions

morning wear is to be found in

many versions, both straight-cut

and with the moderately full

skirt. These styles will be popu-

for with us for spring and summer

I am sure, so here are details of

revere collar and saucer buttons

waist across its centre panel. The

the collar and there are two

large, flapped pockets set at a

misty pink, with self buttons

slant just below the bolt.

back cuffs with points to match of steps.

One is in rayon gabardine the

The button-through frock for

day wear.

two models.



By Iris Ashley

These "Fin de Journee" dresses, make-up. General effect to be shade of warm sand. It has a which started as the darling of softer, less obvious. Here is her straight front with wide-pointed the Parisienne's wardrobe, are now becoming the rage in the United States.

Comfortably translated into young woman of America cm't think how she lived without one! It certainly does seem to pre- Pink-tone powder, blue-red sent the answer to those old problems of indecision; Will the it to be theatre and dancing, or red lipstick and rouge. movie and dinner? How to travel light for a holiday or week-end?

The dress you see on the left at the waist are only pinned, der and light blue-red rouge and has enough fuliness at the back same for the not-so-young. to allow for dancing.

of the materials.

three - quarter - length sieeves), it's there, prettied up for evening by the spattered with sequins.

stole; and the sequins, glittering would you? Or would you? worn since morning. (The stole man with the ritzy name and cap were at Marshall and Claridge. Snelgrove, London.)

says please note new fashion in feeling.

colour chart: Blonde with blue eyes: Light from neckline to hem. The back

red of the skirt in gathered lat the straight down the back, zig-zagpink-tone powder, light matching rouge and lipstick. Fair with hazel eyes: Blended short, magiar sleeves have turn-"late-day", styles, 'the smart pink and rachel powder, lipstick and rouge a rusty red. Grey hair with blue eyes:

rouge and lipstick. Brown halr, brown eyes: Warm dinner be formal or informal? Is tone rachel powder, bright clear Red head, green eyes: Tawny

rachel powder, golden-red lip-

stick and rouge. Brundtte with blue eyes: For is made of black moire; the roses the young, light pink-tone pow-The skirt, though slim in effect, lipstick. Deeper colours of the

Hollywood's famous Max Fac-The little tight-fitting jacket is tor follows up with the news that of black velvet with revers and Tyrone Power can't bear to see cuffs of moire. If by any chance women wearing weird and you wanted a cooler jacket it bizarre-coloured lipsticks. Charles would be easy to reverse the use Boyor dislikes to notice what colour powder a woman has on. On the right is a simple black Gregory Peck wants make-up to wool day dress (note the new look so natural he doesn't know longed for a dog, but it would girl.

addition of a long tuile stole of these heroes, you wouldn't flat, want him to draw back mutter- Would it be cruel? We should being for her sake! But argu-The little cap matches the ing: "No, no! Her face clashes! in the evening lights, help to Uncommon Items: An English complete the transformation of a perfume that really stays with dress which could have been you. Dreamed up by a young

Hand lotion which claims Beauty Specialist Dorothy Gray ecunteract that "het little hand"

FASHION NOTE |

It is rare that in Britain the summer is warm enough for Caramel Banana Pudding the average woman to buy special cotton frocks for her manufacturers are making mon, salt. convertible play-clothes with Place the sugar and water into

gathered skirt, which, would be is set. Chill before serving. worn with a kind of brief chemise bodice or brassiere on holiday, can be teamed with a muslin blouse for everyday wear.

All kinds of beachwear are ap- Most of these have over-dresses pearing in the collections now, which can be used for day-to-day from short loose joans, complete wear, so that once having made her with turn-ups which go with loose purchase at the beginning of the shirts very much like a man's, to summer, a woman need worry no handkerchief-brassieres and wide more about her holiday wardrobe;

So transparent, is the veil of

yourhful beauty Three

Flowers spreads over your

The Hong Keng Agents for Three Flowers are

R. Coxley & Co. (China) Std.

skin. Never obvious ... never streaked always matural

always YOU.

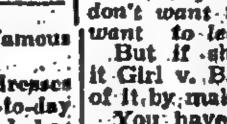
RECIPE

1 cup white breadcrumbs. holiday. But since most spoons cold water, ½ teaspoon vanilla, 2 eggs, 2 bananas, cinna-

gay little dresses which can a saucepan and cook over low be worn in town or, for the business girl, in her office but with matching brassieres and shorts so that the whole set brassieres. Shorts so that the whole set brassieres are shorts so that the whole set brassieres and shorts so that the whole set brassieres are shorts so that the whole set brassieres and shorts so that the whole set brassieres are shorts as the shorts are shorts are shorts as the shorts are shorts shorts so that the whole set breadcrumbs and flavour with -not, with your tender heartscan appear on holiday.

A strapless cotton dress, for instance, will be worn with a neat and sober little belore in the office so that a girl is suitably and smartly dressed. A low-cut front can be filled in with a gathered muslin guimpe or vest. Or a cathered skirt which would be seen considered as cathered skirt which would be seen can be filled in with a gathered skirt which would be seen cathered and substant and substant and substant and substant and substant and some stant and some cathered skirt with size of the cathered skirt which would be seen cathered skirt which was said to the mixture. Line a weil
The cathered skirt with some cathered said to the mixture. Line a weil
The cathered skirt with a said to the mixture. Line a weil

shorts or variations of the famous



of it, by, making it Girl and Band. cepted in commercial English.

My friend and I for years have | Band-you can look for another

The fuller-skirted style is de- something new in horizontal lines,

lightfully displayed in a cool A chic little model in black faille

frook of cotton broadcloth in his the simplest of tailored lines

from neck to hem, Small, pointed silhouette, and button-through

collar can be buttoned up to the front with a narrow belt. From

throat or left open. The inset yoke to knee, shirred bands are

belt is shaped to a point at the inserted at six inch intervals.

back, from which double inverted Wear with a three-row pearl

pleats fall in graceful, unpressed choker, matching bracelet, small,

folds, while the skirt front is straw "scuttle" hat and embroided shirred in two panels, leaving the shortle gloves.

Spring fashions from America strike a clear, fresh

Styling has everything to do with simple charm and

A large bow at the hip; sides flat and straight.

more elaborate trends of the winter season.

note that has been missing from some of the

nothing to do with extravagance. The more

natural silhouette is relieved here and there by

unexpected detail, with a light note, gay or

stiff cuits on short sleeves, spi- mend a frock in polka-dot rayon

lor collars; lots of short, straight rayon linen which will co-ordin-

jackets, and buttons everywhere atelwith several other frocks as well. The frock is high necked

vices which strike the note of with soft tie bow and has small

Cotton broad cloths that handle Slantwise tucking across the like linen but do not crease so line to the namelled skills The

easily; prints in rayon and nylon line to the panelled skirt. The

crepes with polka-dot spots in the little jacket, in rayon linen, is

lead; tissue worsteds for light- just hip length, with wide, single weight woollen frocks and revers, wide turnback cuffs to its

jackets; rayon linens for spring elbow sleeves and two large, flat

pockets.

Among the prints, I can recom-

cap sleeves, tied with little bown

Slantwise tucking across the

The Linen Suit

For your linen sult, choose

buttons to make it different from

any other you have ever had. . A

suiting fabric in rayon which

looks like the finest worsted with

a fine, pencil-line checking, is

the fabric. The style has long.

clean lines, with inset shoulders

and sleeves gathered slightly into

a neat cuff. The jacket buttons

in an S curve down the front and

the buttonned skirt continues the

For variations on the button

theme, you can have your buttons

ging across the front, for linking

jacket and skirt lines in a series

Button fronts for the late-day

frock, to take you for cocktalls

or a restaurant meal include

. . . round neck, short sleeves, slim

line to the hem.

mean leaving him alone all day Suppose you were to meet one for five days of the week in a

be home about five, and could esercise him in the evenings and at the week-ends.

We had given up all hope of having one until we heard that Cairns are so adaptable that they old daughter has from the early don't mind being left. There is age of six months been able to no rule against our keeping him, keep time perfectly to any type—many of the flat tenants have of music she hears.
them—but the thought of leaving Music seems to appeal to her

would be cruel. It's not the liftLEN. exercise they miss so much as the | It certainly is at six months. companionship. We made them That is unusually early, Not, of domestic and dependent-we have course, at the age of nearly three. duty by them.

Alone all day in a flat five days perfect car for time and tune too. in every week is an awfully long. weary time in a very short life. From my experience I have not found Cairns more adaptable to loneliness than other breeds. 'Il estimate of the extent and duraknow they are almost hysterical tion of a child's musical talent

time we finish are blg things. don't want to love her, nor do I want to leave the band.-KEN. rally used in official departments, .But if she insists, on making to agreement. it Girl v. Band you can't get out | But "shall" is now being ac-

Flawless complexion .

She has no worries about her appearance because she uses

Helena Rubinstein preparations

thereby giving her skin the best that can be bought. At night

the clearises with Water Ling

Cleaning Cream and nourishes

the times with the rich herbal

energots of Perfection Gream.

the morning she applies Skin

Tanky Letter to leave a smooth

Now had you the silver tongue

to persuade her she was all the world to you—even the band ing about it! You went all out for trouble.

My two-years-and-nine months-

him all day worries me.—L.M. so much that she cannot resist I'm sorry, but I do think it beating time. Is this unusual?—

Three-year-olds have often a

Is there musical ability in the About the age of 10 is the time when a more or less accurate

Will you, please, settle this? . A is in the habit of using "should" in the sentence "We thank you for your inquiry of the —inst., and we should be pleased to supply you.

B contends that this is wrong and always uses "shall". She says "should" implies we ought to be pleased .- R.

B 13 wrong in contending that "should" here is obligational. It Is conditional. And as conditional it is gone-

You have to take it her way. If you are interested in clarity and choose, will Girl, she will of statement, let me recommend want proof by way of your keep- Gowers' "Plain Words'-amun-ing-some evenings for her. If ing as well as enlightening.



Cleibes & Accessories of Distinction. At The Hong Keng Hetel, Hong Keng, Tel. \$6281 - Ext. 22

A SPECIAL BERVICE-INDIVIDUAL STYLING AND COUTURE-

=-*FIFTH AVENUE*

"GO GAY" AT ST. PATRICK'S BALL

GLAMOUROUS **EVENING FROCKS**

now being displayed by

MISS NAYLOR

508, Chung Tin Bidg., Des Voeux Ed.

Opposite, Dairy Farm, Windsor House.

many the first to be a straight that & course again to a page of the same of the contract of

MRS. H. MOALEM

KIDDICRAFT "SENSIBLE" TOYS

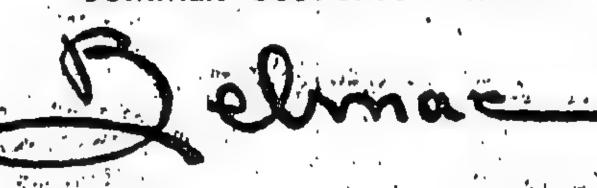
ROOM 218-2nd FLOOR

PRINCE'S BUILDING- 5 los House Street.

Large Selection Of SUMMER DRESSES

GUARANTEED WASHABLE

SWISS ORGANDIE EVENING GOWNS SUMMER COSTUME JEWELLERY



Peninsula Hotel

DOBRY WEDDING GOWNS



JUST NEW

EVENING GOWNS, LINEN FROCKS, SILK DRESSES SKIRTS and BLOUSETTES.

> **ORDERS** TAKEN

221-222, Gloucester Bldg., 2nd Floor.

& CO. LTD.

Helena Rubinstein



The beasslere sentation .. Stepless by Mardi-Bra embodies minute-Molding-adjusting bones to fit the figure, ... easily, quickly. Basque cut at the diaphragm for a close smooth fit Lustrous Earlon, a Bur-Mil rayon satis fabric, Lacy net top la cinsticised stays in place. Sizes 34 to 40.

Mail Orders Carefully Filled.

2 Chater Rd. Tel. 21050

New Look for Spring - - -SUAVE SIMPLICITY

in draped, straight and full skirted models

designed by

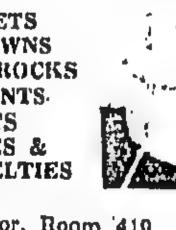
(if indistrement)

HONG KONG HOTEL

BASY NEEDS

THE TINY TOTS SPECIALISE IN

* BABY'S LAYETTE SETS CHRISTENING GOWNS * HAND EMBD, FROCKS CHILPRUFF GARMENTS CUDDLE SEATS BABIES NECESSITIES & PRESENTATION NOVELTIES



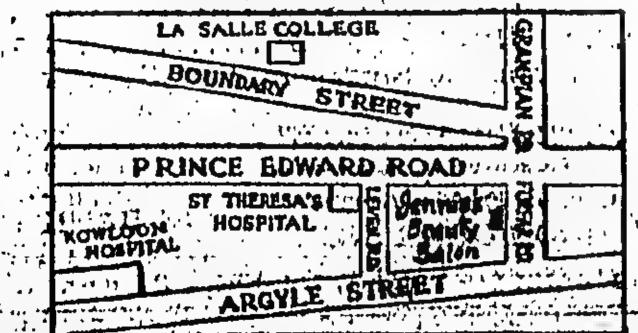
Order Taken Union Building, 4th Floor, Room 419, "PELSO" Original Folding KARRI-KOT Sole Agents for "PELSO" KARRI-KOT, Pram-Ruge & Quitte. .



Come & visit Jennie's, the most Elite up to date Benuty Salon in Kowloon, giving you individual attention & featuring the very latest methods in Hair-styling, Cold-waves, & Permanent-

Jennie's Beauty Salon No. 2 Forfar Road, Apt. No. 10, Rowloom

For appointments Call:-58558.



CONTINUED FROM PAGE 18.

Exercises For All Ages

Claudia

No matter how the fashion may change, your figure must always be able to take it! What does that mean in terms of the present mode for the silhouette?

Waists are still neat, if not nipped. Bosoms are still nicely rounded if not over emphasised, shouldiers softly sloped and feminine, but not too

one and curves out of place are just as outre as ever they were. makes you start thinking in terms of shorts and playsuits.

provided it really is brisk...will help you to any goodbye to those extra inches in the wrong places. Add a moderation of dlet ... you know quite well which starchy and fatty foods must not be allowed to tempt you... and a reduction in your liquid

A course of brisk exercising...

soft drinks or hard. ligiously, every morning, pre- hard against them.

In other words, the figure of raising the arms sideways Hold your breath for a few seconds, then exhale, slowly, dropping arms and heels at the same time, Repeat 10 times.

2. Stretching, Lie flat on the floor, Stretch the left leg as far generous side, now is the time as possible, pointing the toe. Reto take them firmly in hand, lax, then stretch the right leg. before the hot weather New swing both arms above your head and stretch the whole body, from fingertips to tees, pulling yourself out into a straight line. Repeat six times. These exercises limber you up, ready for other

For The Bust

3. Bust Clasp your hands at ceal, half reveal the fitted bodies. in- the back of the neck, now drop take, whether in the form of tea, your head forward on your chest, and lift it slowly, resisting with Then do your exercises re- your hands and pressing back ing thick silks for day as well which falls softly round the

when bones and muscles are at palm-that against your thighs, really formed evening wear,



Stretch



do enough to make you feel good, 12 times. and each day you will be, able to add a little more.

All You Energy

heartedly performed, And, above all, no half mea- times,

sures. If you really mean to take those bulges in hand, go to it reduce your seat. Lie flat on your

ages, "keep fit" exercises which and roll over as far as you can. the older woman can do too, Then roll to the other side and without the risk of overstrain.

1. Breathing, In front of an

their most relaxed and pliable. Now bend to the left, sliding Don't be too enthusiastic at first, your hand as far down the or you will overtire the muscles left leg as possible. Now repeat with unaccustomed work, Just in the opposite direction, Repeat

5. Tummy. Kneel, with hands clasped behind your back. Sit back slowly, on to your heels. then drop your head and bend right down until it touches the Put your whole energy into floor. In this position, relax. doing a few, simple exercises Now pull in your tummy musreally well and they will do cles as taut as possible and keep more, good than a whole series them taut while you straighten of complicated evolutions half- up slowly to the original kneeling position. Repeat six to 12

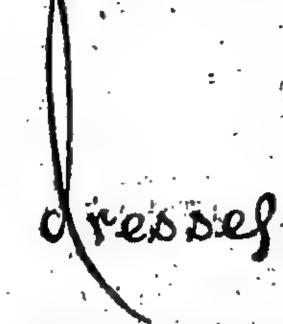
6. Holl, This is an exercise to as if you mean business...other- back, arms stretched straight wise you might as well not above the head, hands on the floor. Keeping your shoulders flat These are exercises for all on the floor, raise the right hip repeat, alternatively, 12 times.

Between each movement, reopen window, or on the verandah, lax like this. Stand with your is the best place for this. Stand feet apart and let the trunk drop straight, orms flat at the side. loosely. Remain slack for a few Now breathe in, slowly- and seconds, then straighten up for deeply, rising on to tip-toe and the next exercise,



"Dear. Mr. Mamak. i havo a luggage-tan suit. Would you please suggest shade of lipstick that would go I would suggest a yellowbrownish red. Shop until you find it.

"Dear Mr. Mamak. I have an over-dry skin.



Imported, & locally made dresses, suits, conts, "Desire" hats, "Kislar" gloves. NEW-SHIPMENT OF GABARDINE :DRESSES

592. Kactory House . 5, WKNDHAM STREET

am , afraid , i , shall be , having wrinkles protty soon, although I am only 27. Oan 1 use a hormone cream?"--WORRIED.

-No. I cannot recommend hormone cream for anyone under 30. I suggest that you may use a cholesterol type extra rich night cream. For cleansing, would recommend a dry skin cleansing cream.

Avoid the use of spap and water on your face as much as possible. Also watch your diet. It stole. is possible you are depriving, yourself of the amount of fut you should have in your food.



Can, a shampoo curo dandruff?"

First of all you must understand that dandruff is not a dis-ease. It is a "condition of the scalp which can be corrected by proper hair care.

"Use regularly a dandruff remover shampoo, massage your scalp with a reliable hair tonic, and above all brush your hair daily for at least 10 minutes. As long as you keep up with this routine, your hair will, remain -free of ::dandruff. : Neglect your hale and the dandruff will return

wiff, you, have, any beauty problems, send cliens, in to Violot Mamak c/o Sunday, liefatt, and they will be anawared in these-





Heavy figured satin by Jacqmar is used by Victor Stiebel for one of his levellest evening cowns. The folds of the bertha half con-

The 1949 styles are emphasis- might be called a draped bertha

they have yet a grace of move-

fabrica especially well, draping is fitted to a fraction below the them with great subtlety and using natural waist-line and the above the material [teelf to carry out the ankle-length skirt is closely gadesign he visualises for the gown, thered for several inches to the An excellent example of the kind hipline where it falls into folds, of thing he does so well is shown On this dress again the sleeves are in the satin evening gown photo- part of the draping which outlines graphed here. He puts what the top of the hodice



This gown, worn by J. Arthur Rank's blonde star, Susan, Shaw, is made of checked allk trimmed with black silk braid.

as for evening wear, but they shoulders and allows a glimpse of ferably as soon as you get up, 4. Hips. Stand straight, hands will be well-established for the upper part of the fitted bodice. The sleeves are part of this berthn, yet they allow the case of In the Jacquar collection special movement which is essential for stress is laid on the brocades. a dress of this kind; The skirt is broches, and sating weven with gathered on the hipline in a way small motifs. These fabrics are which permits great fuliness and stiff, yet flexible, and nithough yet slides smoothly on to the they will "stand by themselves", bodice.

Another example of Sliebel's work is carried out. In a heavy Victor Stiebel uses these heavy ottoman, Here again, the bodice

The Popular



Left: a black cloth dress from Wallace of London has a matching stole trimmed with ilso pard ... kin. Right: a black (wool dress from Frederick Starke, with shepherd's plaid triangular

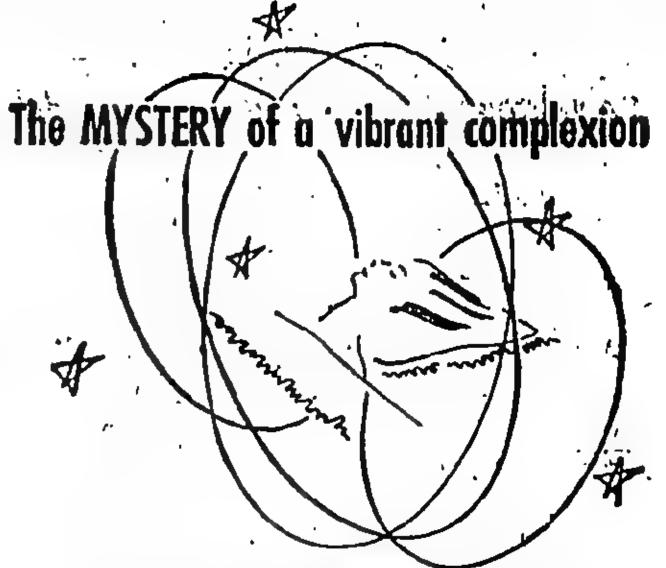


SUMMER FROCKS

All Sizes.

Reasonable Prices

Orders taken for Wedding and Evening Gowns, at LUROPEAN WORKMANSHIP ONLY



* is no mystery at all, when you understand your skive indigte busic bounty needs.

If your skin seems to lack youthful freshness ... if it's dry or sensitive ... you'll delight in !...



COLONIAL DAMES EXTRA RICH NIGHT CREAM

This fine cream contains special elis and lipoids, which help provide the extra soltness, the dewy-fresh look and feel so many skins lack (especially after thirty). Use it, as a thrilling aid to more vibrant complexion beauty.



DEAUTY FREPARATIONS

... wherever there's loveliness ... Obtainable at Leading Stores

NAN KANG CO. Union Bldg., H.K. Tels: 22118-24944.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO COME TO VIEW OUR FULL RANGE OF

CHILDREN'S SOCKS

ATTRACTIVE IN DESIGN TASTEFUL IN COLOUR DURABLE IN WEAR

CHILDREN'S SHOES & SANDALS

DISTINCT IN QUALITY

74A, Queen's Road, C.

Tel: .27589.

SPECIAL

COURSE.

3 MONTHB

EXERCIBES REDUCING

MABSAGE

GAINING

SWEDISH

MEDICAL

MASSAGES.



REDUCING

King's Bidg. Connaught Rd. Tel: 32614



DO IT GRADUALLY, MAKE SURE THE NEW DIET IS BALANCED

as bland, as digestible and as added minerals-iron, calcium completely acceptable as breast and phosphorus-to build blood milk. . . Farex, was especially and bone; and also measured designed to fulfil this aim while, vitamin D for helping bones to providing the progressive nourishment Baby begins to need. That is why weaping with Farez can be accomplished happinly and successfully. In Fatex the three cereals wheat, oats, and rye each contribute their valuable components to a

The limit weaning food should be very careful blend enriched with grow strong and teeth to come through as they should.

.Like many thousands of mothers in Britain, you will, find that weaning is not an anxious time if you do it gradually . . . and wean with Farex. No cooking to do, just add sugar and milk,

Farex

Agents:

W. R. LOXLEY & CO. (CHINA) LTD.

QLANG LANGRATORINA LAD., GILERHYORD, ARDDLERGE NEWSCHILL



JAVA-CHINA SERVICE Sailings

PJITJALENGKA" TASMAN"

Arrivals from Shanghal & Amoy. 15th March. from Manila & Amov 18th March.

17th Marchto Manila 19th March. to Javaports & Macassar 31st March. to Shanghal from Macassar 19th March. & Javaports to Manila 17th March,

"TJISADANE"

& Javaports

3id April, to Manila 12th April to Javaports & Magassar 28th April.

to South Africa

23rd March.

to East & South

South America,

South America.

to East & South

to East & South

South America.

to East & South

to Straits

& B. Deli.

to Straits

& B. Dell

2nd April.

to Europe via

15th March.

to Europe via

29th March.

Mid April.

te Europe via,

Mid 'May.

Manila & Straits,

Manila & Straits

Manila & Straits,

to Europe via

Manila, & Straits

14th March.

Sailings

Africa &

Africa &

21st April.

Africa &

18th May.

Africa &

17th June.

31st March.

28th March.

to Javaports

& Macassar

14th April,

Javaports &

Macassar

ASIA-AFRICA-S. AMERICA SERVICE Sailings

"TJIPANAS" TRAAT MALAKKA"

"SOISSEVAIN"

STRAAT SOENDA'

TEGELBERG"

14th March. South America 31st March.

In port

ta Japan

& South Africa. In port,

South America & South Africa, South America, 13th June.

All Steamors Calling Mombasa & L. Marques Direct. Transhipment cargo on through Bs/L to Dar-Es-Salaam. Zanzibar accepted; on all sailings. SUMATRA—MALAYA—CHINA SERVICE Sailings

'VAN RIEMUDIJK"

"VAN HEUTSZ"

Arrivals from Aomy & Swalow 13th March. from B. Dell & Singapore 24th March.

Agents: HOLLAND-EAST ASIA LINE Arrivais from Shanghai

> 14th March. from Japan & Shanghai 28th March. from Europe Early April.

Tanks Available for Oit in Bulk MARIEKERK" "MOLENKERK"

Tels. 23676-22675

RIJNKERK"

"MELISKERK"

from Europe Early May

Transhipment cargo on through Bs /L accepted to Indian, Mediterranean and Northern European ports. Office Address; King's Building, Phones: 28015, 28016 & 28017 Chinese Agents: 82, Connaught Rd., Tet. 31196 & 21533

LINES ARRIVING FROM U.S. ATLANTIC COAST

SAILING FOR U.S. ATLANTIC COAST VIA LOS ANGELES "BENGAL"

VIA LOS ANGELES & SAN FRANCISCO

"DONA AURORA"

m.v. "BENARES" End Apr. THE DE LA RAMA STEAMSHIP CO., INC.

(Incorporated in the Philippines) CHINESE SHIPPING OFFICE MARINA HOUSE Tels, 23738-20153

OF COPENHAGEN M.S. "MONGOLIA"

NOW LOADING

ADEN. PORT SAID. GENOA. ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM. BREMEN, HAMBURG, OSLO GOTHENBURG AND COPENHAGEN.

Tanks available for the carriage of oil in bulk.

THE EAST ASIATIC CO., LTD. Tel. 34111 & 34112. Queen's Bldg., 2nd floor.

Telephone 81683 15 Connaught Road West

SAILINGS

S.S. HAI KANG Shanghai Mar 14

S.S. HAI TAI . . Haiphong & Haikow . . Mar. 17 (With Passenger Accommodation) Cargo for Teing-Tao, Hankow, & Tientain acceptable on through bills of tading.

for full particulars please apply to the above.

INDUSTRY

Liner To Be Withdrawn

San Francisco, March 12. The General M. C. Meigs will be retired a from trafis-Pacific Service when she docks at San Francisco today.

The American President Lines announced that the former troop transport will be returned to the U.S. Maritime Commission,___

gradually whittled flown, there is in preparing better textile prothe trade."

The American President Lines Cleveland and President Wilson in | maintained." the same service.

AFL Sallors' Union of the Pacific, finishing, blamed chaotic conditions China and the general decline of the American merchant, marine

Washington, March 12. Cotton is still the best all-around fibre available to industry and consumers, the Bureau of Agricultural and Industrial Engineering reports.

The Bureau, a branch of the U.S. Agriculture Department, said in its annual report that cotton has maintained its lead in the face of recent remarkable inprovements in rayon and other competing materials.

Machine Picking

Improvements in the uni-

formity of cotton yarn, cords

and fabrico would raise their quality and add to the service.

ability, of finished products, the

The growing substitution of

machine picking for hand picking

of cotton is said to have in-

creased the impurtance of more

single end use of cotton.

fibres.—Associated Press.

JAPANESE

PATENTS

has virtually agreed on a direc-

Washington, March 12,

businessmen

RULING

Japan.

and copyrights.

sell their products.

Foreign

Bureau said.

It added, however, that in the principal qualities said to need years immediately shead cot- improvement. ton's dominance can be assured backlog of post-war travel being only if unusual progress is made

"Even the properties in which will continue to operate the cotton is at present admittedly General H. Gordon under charter superior, and certainly those in from the Maritime Commission which it is less outstanding, must The Lines also be improved if the markets for operate the luxury liners President cotton are to be extended of

ginned cotton. Line executives said a recent The Bureau said the Departmarked decline in the volume of ment's Southern research laborathe inboratory has made propassenger traffic made it too costly tory at New Orleans is exploring to continue operation of the Meigs, all possibilities for improving cot-Harry Lundeberg, head of the ton textiles through chemical

It said the inboratory has made notable progress in developing for the tariff drop .-- Associated cotton fibre and textile resistance I to rot and weather-two of the

KOREA STEAMSHIP COMPANY

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION REPUBLIC OF KOREA



LINER SERVICE BETWEEN HONGKONG AND KOREA

S.S. "KUMCHON", **DUE MARCH 12**

LOADING ON OR ABOUT MARCH 20.

S. KOREA

For greight and further particulars, Apply to:

Of Shanghal, Hongkong, Scoul Pusan, Tokyo, Yokohama, Kebe, Osaka, Nagoya, Talpeh and Keelung. ---GENERAL AGENTS---

CHARTERED BANK BLDG., TEL. 25346 CHINESE SHIPPING OFFICE:-20, Connaught Road C., Tel. 24639.

"OREGON"

LOADING 16th MARCH

VANCOUVER, SEATTLE · Paget Sound and Colorado River

Agents Tel. 28021/6

MARINE LINES

FAR EAST SERVICE.

"GARDEN STATE"

Due Hongkong 14th March, 1949 FROM

NORFOLK, BALTIMORE, NEW YORK AND SAN FRANCISCO

Agents GOURLIE

Union Building, Telephone 31341

Mail Threat

Shanghal, March 12. Two air lines are threaten. ing to suspend domestic air mail service in China if claims totalling more than £750,000 are not paid by the Postal Administration. China National Aviation Corporation and Central Air Transport Corporation said

they will discontinue service on April 30 If the debt, which has accumulated since the beginning of World War II, paid.—Associated Pross.

efficient equipment for eleaning New York, March 12. The Bureau also reported that day. Rails gained fractions to gress in its research on cotton tyre cord, which for many years, has been the most important Some tyre makers, however, more than two points. have been turning to other

> of dull trading. Some sources said it was the beginning of the long awaited Spring rally. Most active issue was Commonwealth and Southern with 125,500 shares traded, It closed 3%, up % for a new high for the 586 advanced and 172 declined. Dow Jones Averages:

The Far Eastern Commission Rails 49.18: 10 Utilities 35.10. tive governing Japanese patents and foreign patents held in The group is also considering similar directives on trade marks Baldwin Locomotive these deliberations Barnadali closely, believing they have an important bearing on the future Council and the Far East Ameripatents, trade marks and copy-With the Japanese again entering international trade, businessmen feel that now is the time to prevent a recurrence of the alleged Japanese commercial Montgomery Ward piracy which many foreign busi-

Japan's pre-war foreign trade.-Associated Press. War he The Marks

London, March 11. The West German Deutschmark will be the sole legal currency in the Western sectors of Berlin before the end of this

At present the Soviet Eastern mark and the Western mark, surcharged "B", both circulate in Western Berlin.

mark were introduced by the Western occupation authorities during the Soviet-opposed cutrency reform last June.
This latest decision was discussed by Professor Ernst Reuter,

\$65 million earmarked for Israe Mayor of Berlin, when he met Mr. Ernest Bevin, the Foreign Secrein addition to \$35 million loaned tary, last month.—Reuter. outright to that State by the Bank

LONDON STOCKS

Rubber, copper and Kaffir issues low for the year.

Light sales in motors, brewerles, from and steels depressed these tion broke all records. shares. Olls were down fractionally. British gilt-edged securities Federation said the month's steel remained steady.

off .2.—Associated Press,





NEW YORK-CHICAGO-DETROIT-TORONTO. MAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES. MONTREAL AND ALL. AMERICAN & CANADIAN CITIES Yestel : San Francisca & Los Angeles. Mar. . It San Francisco Mar. 19 "RURPRISE" + . San Francisco & Los Angeles "JULIA LUCKENBACI" vis Shanghal & Kobs, San Francisco & Los Augeles-"SHA BERFENT" 1 Ban Francisco & Los Angeles. "LIGHTNING" +

For full particulars call General Agents. UNITED STATES LINES CO. Queen's Bldg.

China Airline

A sharp rally in rails carried the slock market higher yesternearly four points for their best advance in three months. Steels, motors and oils joined the advance. They gained fractions to There were generous gains elsewhere. The rally broke a week

Volume awelled to 1,070,000 shares. year. Second most active issue was Northern States Power, closing up % at 9%, a new high. Of 969 issues traded,

Stocks 68.71; 20 Industrials 176,62; 12 Alaska Juneau 3% American Smelting 10 American Telephone American Waterworks 7% Awinting Corp. 679 Bendix Aviation 84% of business in Japan, and also Boring Aircraft 23% outside of Japan where the Jap- Borden Co. 19 % anese may be expected to try to Canadian Pacific 12% Commercial Bolvents 1614 can Council of Commerce and Corn Products 6314 U.S. export and import com- Eastman Kodak 45 panies, have taken a leading role | Electric Light & Power 22% in moves to prevent further ai- General Blectric 884 leged Japanese violation of General Motors Homestake Mining 8914 International Barvester 24% International Paper 894 International Tel & Tel 9% Johns Manville 8714 Kennecott Copper 47% National Distillers 17 % New York Central 11% Packard Motors Pan American Airways Pennsylvania R.R. 185 Radio Corp. 12% Southern Parlife Standard Oil of Calif. 69% 82%

U.S. Rubber 89%

Westinghouse 24%

Youngstown Bhret & Tube 70%

NEW CREDIT FOR

ISRAEL

The American Export-Import

The new funds are part of the

STEEL RECORD

The British steel industry, due

The British Iron and Steel

culput was at an annual rate of

previous record month, saw pro-

duction at an annual rate of

750,000 tons.-Associated Press.

for nationalisation, claimed yes-

terday that its February produc-

London, March 12.

in January 1949.—Router.

Washington, March 11.

-Associated Press.

month.

The circulation of the "B" mark

Gen. Pub. Utilities 111/4 by the Deutschmark will, it is hoped, encourage economic cooperation between Berlin and the West. The Soviet mark will cease to be legal, a course advocated for a long time by German political leaders in Western Berlin, The Deutschmark and the "B"

Bank has given the State of Israel another \$6 million credit to buy buses and trucks in the United

London: March 10.

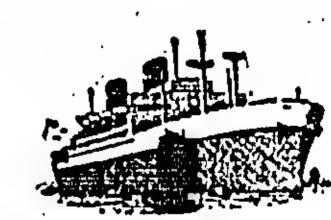
were higher on the stock exchange vesterday, but other sections were lower, dragging the Financial Times' daily index down to a new

Financial Times' index: 114.3, 16,176,000 tons. November, the

NY RUBBER

New York, March 12. Rubber standard futures were quiet with no sales. No. 1 rubber was 20 to 24 higher, with sales of seven con-May 18,94; July 18,70; Septem-No. 1 ribbed smoked sheets

1916 nominal.—Associated Press. SHIP MOVEMENTS Ban Francisco, March'12. Tanker Mission Ban ' Fernando sailed for Korea on Thursday; Lingald Victory for Los Angoles and Vokohama, Gen, Hughers,



AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINES

Cargo Oli Tanks Refrigeration-Cargocaire.

TO HONOLULU AND SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai & Japan "General Gordon" Mar. 20

"President Cleveland" Apr. 3 TO SAN FRANCISCO AND LOS ANGELES via JAPAN

"President Taft" "President Madison" (calls Shanghal) "President Pierce" Apr. 14 TO NEW YORK, BALTIMORE & BOSTON

VIA-PANAMA

"President Fillmore" (calls Pacific Coast) Mar. 20

ROUND-THE WORLD VIA MANILA, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, KARACHI, SUEZ, PORT SAID, ALEXANDRIA, NAPLES, MARSEILLES, GENOA, NEW YORK and BOSTON

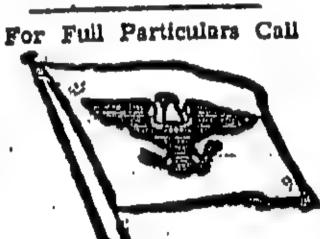
"Mount Mansfield" (Singapore Direct) "President Monroe" "President Buchanan" Apr. 2 ARRIVING FROM SAN FRANCISCO

"President Grant" Mar. 25 Tel. Nos 28172/28173 St. George's Bldg.

Arrivals from New York, Boston, Other Atlantic Ports via Panama "PADUCAH VICTORY" "PIONEER BAY" Sailings to Manila .

"PADUCAH VICTORY" Mar. 21 "PIONEER BAY" Apr. 11 Sailings to New York, Boston, Philadelphia Baltimore & Other Atlantic Ports via Shanghai, Japan & Panama Canal - Special Cargo Oll Tanks -

"PIONEER SEA" Due Mar. 21 "PIONEER TIDE" Due Mar. 26



Salls Mar. 18

Sails Mar. 22

14th March

2nd half Mar

end Mar.

LOADING

17th March.

Abt. 21st Mar.

2nd half Mar.

Abt. end Mar.

2nd half Apr.

Abt. end April),

mid April.

In port.

Salis Mar. 27

The above list indicates the principal ports of loading and discharge as presently intended but not their rotation. For

further information see schedule at the Company's Office. UNITED STATES LINES

Company Tel. 31251 (3 lines) Queen's Building.



ARRIVALS FROM : "Salmonier" "Benvorlich"

Abt. 18th March. "BENALBANACH" "BENCLEUCH" **†"BENCRUACHAN"** , 1st half Apr., 2nd half Apr. "BENMACDHUI" "Benwyvis" SAILINGS

.... Kohsjohang, Singapore, Colombo, Scychelles. "SALMONIER" "BENCLEUCH" London, Antwerp. Rotterdam, Hull. "BENMACDHUI" Liverpool, Havre, Antwerp, Rotterdam ¶"BENVORLICH **T'BENCRUACHAN** J & Hamburg.

.....Genoa, London, I"BENWYVIS" Hull & Leith. * Accepts cargo for Shanghat Shanghai & Japan,

Calls at Dar-es-Salaam. " i " Port Sudan, & Hull. For Further Particulars, Apply To-W. R. LOXLEY & CO.

Agents Telephona: 34165. York Building.

SAILINGS

Direct to Los Angeles, San Francisco, Vancouver, Seatile & Portland M.S. "CASTLEVILLE" 30th March Arrives Los Angeles 16th April

ARRIVALS FROM PACIFIC COAST "BOUGAINVILLE" 21th March Sailing to Singapore, Port Swettenham

Penang & Batavia M.S. "BOUGAINVILLE" 25th March Passenger Accommodation

Hulk Oil Tanks Apply:-Chinese Freight Agents, THE BANK LINE HOO FOOK PING (CHINA) LTD.

IE BANK LINE (China) 144. Kings Building. Tel. 27792

May i



Cog. April

Beg. April

Mid April

Deg. May

End of May

MARITIMES

ARRIVALS FROM

St. MICHEL MORTAIN CHAMPOLLION Li de LATOUR STE. MERE EGLISE

St. MICHEL . -

CHAMPOLLION

CHAMPOLLION

Lt de LATOUR

MORTAIN

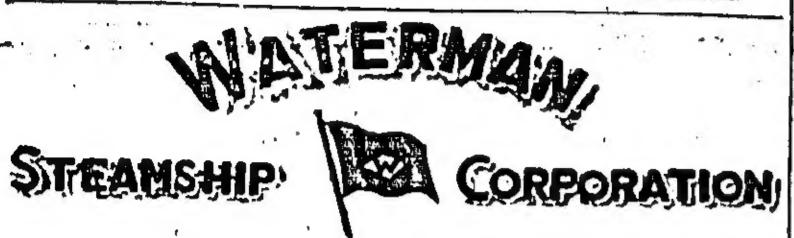
MORTAIN

שמפתקותו Europe Marsellica Europa Trische.

SAILING TO Haiphone & Halgon Shanghai & Japan Bhanghal Marsvilles via Balgon Europe via Saigon Europe via Saigon STE, MERE EGLISE Shanghal & Japan STE, MERE EGLISE Europe via Balgon

Beg. April Her. April. litgA bill End of April End of April, Mid May End of May

For Passage and Freight Apply To:-CIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES Queen's Ruilding



MOBILE ALA U.S.A.

EXPRESS SERVICE TO NEW YORK BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA

via PANAMA "CITY of ALMA" 15th Mar. "ANDREW JACKSON" 10th April m.s. "MAIDEN CREEK" 28th April

DIRECT for New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia via Honolulu. Accepting thru Cargo for Montreal,

Limited Passenger accommodation Tanks available for bulk oil cargoes.

For freight and further particulars apply:-WALLEM & COMPANY

Agents.

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Bldg.

Tels. 34177-9.

THE PACIFIC ORIENT EXPRESS LINE

DUE FROM U.S. PACIFIC COAST PORTS AND LOADING FOR SHANGHAI M.V. "PARRAMATTA" 15th Mar.

M.V. "MONGABARRA" 9th April For particulars please apply to:-

WALLEM AND CO.

Agents,

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building. Tels. 34177-9,

ISBRANDTSEN

Isbrandisen Company Inc. 26 Broadway. New York 4, N.Y.



PAR EAST * STRAITS * INDIA * PERSIAN GULF * MEDITERRANKAN U.K. & CONTINENT . W. INDIES . S. AMERICA STEAMSHIP DIVISION

S.S. "FLYING Manila INDEPENDENT", due April 3.

SAILS FOR-Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and New York via Punama Canal April 5.

A. P. PATTISON CO. س

GENERAL AGENTS: CHINA, FORMOSA, KORRA JAPAN, & HONGKONG 12-14, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, 4th floor, TEL: 25346 CHINESE SHIPPING OFFICE: 20 Connaught Road, C. Tel. 24689.



MAERSK LINE

.A. P. MOLLER, COPENHAGEN. Moller Steamship Company Inc. New York

General Agents in U.S.A. MONTHLY SAILINGS TO NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, BOSTON VIA SAN FRANCISCO

LOS ANGELES AND PANAMA Accepting transhipment cargo for Caribbean and Gulf Ports M.S. "SALLY MAERSK" . March 14 M.S. "ARNOLD MAERSK" March 30 M.S. "GRETE MAERSK" April 9

Special Tanks available for the carriage of oil in bulk ARRIVALS FROM NEW YORK AND

OTHER U.S. PORTS M.S. "GRETE MAERSK" March 14 M.S. "CHASTINE MAERSK" ... March 24 M.S. "LAURA MAERSK"

For Freight and Further Particulars please apply to:--

JEBSEN & CO. Tol. Nos. 20661-8

Shipping Intelligence

San Prancisco 21

LIGHTNING (USL) ex-Ban Francisco 15

Angelet

'RES. HARDING (ATL) ex-Los

PRES. VAN BUREN' (APL) 42-Los

TANTARA (Endt Adiatic)

PRES. JEFFERSON (APL) ex-Los

EASTERN (E & A)

HINDUSTAN (Jardine)

AROB (Dodwell)

BHANSI (B & B) 2nd wk.

CHINA

NOREVERETT (Everett) ex-Saigon, \$1

TJITJALENGKA (RIL) ex-Shanghal 18

WINGSANG (Jardine) ex-Shanghai., 23

EUROPE

BENCLEUCH (Loxley) Ind half

RIJNKERK (RIL) ex-Shanghai

TRINAN (II & B) ex-Swatow

VAN' REIMSDUR" (RIE) ex-Amoy ...

BELAPUR (Everett) ex-Shanghai ...

CLYTONEUB (B & B) ex-UK via

CLENGYLE (Jardine) ex-UK via

KVERNAAS (Thuresen)

ASTYANAX (B & B) ex-UK vin

HENMACDRUI (Loxley) ex-UK via

BENWYVIB (Loxley) ex-UK via Bin-

DENBIOHEHIRE (Jardine) ex-UK

EUMAEUS (B & B) ex-UK via

GLENARTNEY (Jardine) ex-UK via

HALLAND (Gilman)

via Straita

Straits and Manila

GLENROY (Jardine) ex-UK via Straits 18

Straits

Stralts

Singapore 1st half

unpore 2nd half

CHAMPOLLION (MM) ex-Marsellies Mid

MANCHURIA (EA Co.)

MORTAIN (MM)

Stralta

Straits

BENCRUACHAN (Lozley)

SOMALL CP & OL or Shanghale

AUSTRALIA

ARIZONA (Dodwell) ex-Los Angeles,

GEN, MRIGS (APL) on San Francisco

MONGABARRA (Walley)

PRES. DUCHANAN (APL) ex-Los

Shipping Arrivals YESTERDAY

BENVORLICH (Loxley), British, ex-UK Capt. W.F. Riddle R. WM HOI WONG (Jebshun), Notwegian, 1,967 tons, ex-Hollow A4 MONGOLIA (EA), Danish, 5,100 tons, er-Yekehama, Cart. A. Karap .. As TAIISIS (EA), Canadian, 4,214 tons, ex-Halphong, Capt. G. Docketty .. LCK TODAY .

CLYTONEUS (II & S) ex-UK. POUCHOW (B & 8) ex-Nagasaki, HINDUSTAN (Jardine) ex-Australia. NORMAN LYKES (APL) or Shanghal --VAN REIMHDUK (RIL) FE-Armoy, TOMORROW GARDEN STATE (Gourlie) ex-Norfolk.

GRETA MAERSK (Jebsen) ex-New York. RIJNKERK (RIL) ex-Shanghal, SALMONIER (Loxley) ex-Japan. BIRDHANA (Mac Mac) ex-Calcutta. Shipping Departures

YESTERDAY DAYREAM (Mac Mac) for Kure. GRAND (Wallem) for Tientain, TOWN MIN (CHUN)- IUS FOORIUW. HIRAM (Thorrsen) for Swatow, HOI WONG (Jebahun) for Swatow: KRONVIKEN (Wallem) for Vancouver, RAVNAAB (Thurssen) for Kobe, STEEL . NAVIGATOR (Gliman) Balgon,

TARSIS (EA) for Los Angeles, YOCHOW (II & B); for Amore. TODAY E-HANG (Jardine) for Fouchow, NEWCHANG (B & B) for Bhanghal, REBEVERETT (Everett) for Singapore. TRINAN (B & B) for Swatow.

TOMORROW BALI (Gliman) for Europe. CORFU (Mac Mac) for Landon EASTERN SAGA (Jardine) for Yokohama ELPENOR (B & 8) for Liverpool, HAN MIN (CMSN) for Shanghal, RIJNKERK (RIL) for Munita. SALLY MAERSK (Jehsen) for New York TRITON (Dodwell) for Pacific Coast, STRAAT MALAKKA (RIL) for Japan. VAN REIMSDUK (RIL) for Straits.

WINGSANG (Jardine) for Keelung, **Vessels in Port** ANHUI (B & 8) BII ANAKAN (Grimble) R. Dock DENGAL (Gliman) Alo BENVORLICH (Loxley) R. Whf. BUSHWOOD (Me Me) K. Dock CALTEX II (Texas) LCK CECIL O. SALLARS (Mollers) A17 CHIEN MEN (Ming Sun) ..., K. Dk. KAMBODIA (EA) CORFU (P & O) K. Whi.

LADY WOLMER (Wheelock) Yaumati.

LISIN (Jin Pin Co.) Ynumati

LOUIS MOLLER (Moller) K. Dock

REAEL (RIL) T.

SAN EHNESTO (Monners) 88

800GHOW-(B-& B)-,

SHENGKING (D & S) T. Dk.

STANVAC 311 (Socony) ... Laichthok

SZECHUEN (B & B) T. Dk. TREVINCE (Mac Mac) K. Wht.

THINAN (II & B) IIS

WHANGPU (B & S) LCK

WINGSANG (Jardine) Jard. Whf.

YUNG HAO (KD) R. Dk.

VESSELS DUE FROM

SOUTH AFRICA

BOISSEVAIN (RIL)

TEGELBERG (RIL)

AJAX (B & B) ex-New York

CHASTINE MAERSK (Jebsen)

GRETE MAERSK (Jebesn) ex-New

JAVA MAIL (Everett) ex-Vancouver,

PADUCAH VICTORY (USL) ex-New

WABHINGTON MAIL (Everett) ex-

Vancouver II

GAMENON (B & B) ex-New York 21

ALMERIA LYKES (APL) ex-Galveston

BENARES (Rama) via Los Angeles, End

COLARADO (Dodwell) ex-Vancouver . 9

JESSE, LYKES (APL) ex-Gaiveston via

Jepan and Shanghai

LAURA MAERSK (Jebeen)

PIUNEER BAY (USL) ez-New York

PRES. HARRISON (APL) ex-Baltimore

ROCKBIDE (Dodwell) ex-Halifax ...

FERNCAPE (Thorseen)

FERNBIDE (Thorsen)

FERNBAY (Thorses)

PRES. FILLMORE (ATL) ex-Deltimore

CHARLES E DANT (Dodwell) em-

TUDOR (Dodwell) End

PRES, JOHNSON (APL) em-Daltimore 19

PACIFIC COAST

BOUGAINVILLE (Bank) #4

Los Angeles, San Francisco

GENERAL GORDON (APL) 'ex-Ban:

JULIA LUCKENBACK (UBL)

NORMAN LYKES (APL) ex-Galves-

PRES. GRANT (APL) ex-San Fran-

ton-via Kobe, Shanghal

PARRAMATTA (Wallem) 18

Prancisco via Yokohama, Manila,

cisco via Manila

DONA "AURORA (Rama)

HOPEVILLE (Thorseen)

INDIA MAIL (Everett)

ISLAND MAIL (Everett)

via Japan and Shanghal 12

GARDEN STATE (Gourlie)

AMERICA

ATLANTIC COAST

FERNDALE (Thoresen) 18

Norfolk, Baltimore

York 14

York 20

ROCKSIDE (Dodwell) ex-New York, End

MARIERIRE (RIL) Early DAVIKEN (Jebshun) Yaumati TALABOT (Thorseen) GRAND (Wattern) Ynumati TREWELLARD (P & O) ex-London 20 GLENGARRY (B & B) AI TYNDAREUS (B & S) ex-UK via ELPENOR (B & 8) Hole's Wht. Straits and Manila EBUNEL (Jebshun) Yaumati EASTERN VENTURE (Jal Hong), 88 Po CARTHAGE (P & O) ex-London .. 8 FIREBIRD (SE Asia) 8.8. Po GLENORCHY (Jardine) ex-London ... FURIEN (B & S) BO ULENORCH (Jardine) ex-London ... FUKWANG (APC) P. Oller KOREA (EA) Mid GREEN RANGER (Fleet-oller) .. Ymt. LT DE LA TOUR (MM) ex-Europe Beg. GUJARAT (Bank) T. Dk. MOLENKERK (RIL) Early HAI TEE (CMBN) R. WM. STE MERE EGLISE (MM) HA! KANG (CMSN) BS TAMARA (Gilman) HAITAN' (Donglas) K. Dk. TAMERLANE (Thorseen) HAIYANG (Douglas) Co,'s Whf. HELIKON (Wo Fat Sing) B10 DLANKVANN (EA) HO! WONG (Jebehun) At CORPU (P & O) ex-London HONG SHAN (Wilfred Lee) .. Yaumati CANTON (P & O) ex-London INCHCRAG (Williamson) Yaumati INCHWELLS (Williamson) ... Yaumati TRANQUEBAR (EA) Mid JADE LEAF (Manners) Yaumati' KIANG YONG (Gilman) Yaumati KUN CHON BI2

EASTERN SAGA (Jardine) ex-Calcutta 15 RICHMOND HILL (BI) ex-Bombay. 20 LUNG MEN (Ming Sung) ..., K. Dk. BIRDHANA (BI) ex-Calcutta 14 MAYON (Jardine) K. Dock TAIREA (BI) ex-Calcutta 14 MONGOLIA (EAC) AB MOW LIN (Wheelock) 88 Po NEWCHANG (B & B) B9

SANGOLA (BI) 12-Japan and B'hai 21 May SOMALI (P_&_O)_mx-Kobs______16.

EASTERN SAGA (Jardine) ex-Straite and Bangkok HAUSANG (Jardine) ex-Bandakan . . BIRDHANA (BI) ex-Calcutta and Straits 100CHOW (B & B) ek-Manila. . 1st Wk. TASMAN (RIL) oz-Manila TJIBADANE (RIL) ex-Java porte. .

SOUTH EAST PORTS

TURKS HEAD (Everett) ex-Salgon .. 11 VAN HEUTSZ (RIL) ex-Singapore. 24 BRADEVERETT (Everett) ez-Saigon FLYING INDEPENDENT (Pattieon) ex-Manila PURNEA (BI) ex-Burma End

ST. MICHAEL (MM) ex-Halphone, Beg. TJIBADAK (RIL) ex-Java Porte .. 1 SOUTH AMERICA

BOISSEVAIN (RIL)

SAILINGS TO

SOUTH & EAST AFRICA 28 TJIPANAS (RIL) for 8, Africa.

PIONEER TIDE (USL) ex-New York 20 31 STRAAT MALAKKA (RIL). PIONEER COVE (USL) ex-New York, Boston 16 | 21 BOISSEVAIN (RIL). PIONEER SEA (USL) ex-New York 22 May PRES. GRANT (APL) ex-Baltimore 24" II STRAAT SOENDA (RIL), TITANIA (Dodwell) 20 Jane

17 TEGELBERG (RIL). AMERICA ATLANTIC COART

5 CITY OF ALMA (Wallem) for New 16 OREGON (Dodwell) for Vancouver. IA BALLY MAERSK (Jobsen) for New Mid. MOLENSERK |RIL) via Manile and York, Philadelphia. 10 STEEL CHEMIST 18 PIONEER COVE (USL)

York, Boston 10 AJAX (II & 8). ** 10 FERNDALE (Thorses), 10 PRESIDENT FILMORE (calls Pacific Court). Japan. 88 BELMA SALEN (Huns).

1 11 PIONEER BEA (USL) for New York, (via Shanghal and Japan). . . 15 PRES. GRANT (APL) for Boston via Btraite. 27 FIONEER TIDE (UBL) for New York IN WASHINGTON MAIL: (Dverett) yin Shanghal, Japan. 10 ARNOLD MAERSK (Jebsen) for Man

New York. I PRES. TYLER (APL) for New York (calls Pacific Coast). 5 PLYING INDEPENDENT (Pattigon) for New York-via-Pausma. 9 GRETE MAERIK (Jobson) for New York. 10 ANDREW JACKSON (Walless)

New York. 10 COLORADO (Dodwell) for Vancouver | April H ALLEGHENT VICTORY (Gilman) Dec. MORTAIN (MM). via Panama, PRES. MADISON (APL) ex-San 14 INDIA MAIL (Everets) via Shaughal 24 RICHMOND MILL (BI). and Japan. FRES, MONROD (APL) ex-Los Angeles #1 18 18LAND MAIL (Everett) via Bhai End. PURNEA (DI). SUPPRISE: (USL) ex-Sea-Francisco-18.and Japanes

HOPEVILLE (Thorses) via Manlia 140 PRES. JOHNSON (APL) for Doctor via Stralta. 88 PHES, HARRISON (APL) for Boriou via Strafte. ES MAIDEN CREEK (Walletn) for New End. DENARES (Ilama).

26 FERNSIDE (Thoronch). SEA SERPENT (USL) ex-San Francisco E FERNDAY (Thorrown) via Mantia and May 17 PRES. FILLMORE (APL) for Boston via Straits.

> PACIFIC COAST 14 TRITON (Dodwell) via Bhanghai

(direct).

and Japan. IS PRESIDENT TAFT (APL) for Francisco via Japan. GENERAL GORDON (APL) to Honolulu and San Francisco via Shanghal and Japan. 21 CHARLES E. DANT (Dodwell) Los Anreles and San Francisco. 11 BURPRIBE (UBL) for San Francisco,

D CASTLEVILLE Banks PRES. MADISON (APL) Shanghai) for San Francisco # PRES, CLEVELAND (APL) for San Francisco via Shanghai and Japan. S SEA SERPENT (USL) for Sen

PACIFIC YEARSPORT (NESSE)

Ban Francisco via Japan,

Prancisco. 9 GENERAL MEIGS (APL) for Ban Francisco via Shanghai and Japan. 14 PRES, PIERCE (APL) for San Franclico via Japan. Mid. TITANIA (Dodwell) via Shanghal,

TITAN (B & B) ex-UK via Straits.. 26 | 17 LIGHTNING (USL) for San Frisco. 22 ARIZONA (Dodwell) for Los Angeles, 24 PRES. WILSON (APL) for Honolulu and San Francisco via Shanghai and Japan. 25 JULIA LUCKENBACH (UBL) for

San Prancisco via S'hai and Japan. CANTON (P & O) ex-London 11 May TALISMAN (Dodwell) via Chaus-Mid. bal, Japan. Mid, TUDOR (Dodwell) via Shangkai and Japan.

> AUSTRALIA 16 KAFRISTAN (Jardine) for bane, Srdney, Malbourne. 19 NANKIN (E & A) via Rabaul. 26 CITOS (Dodwell) for Brisbane, Bydney

Early, EASTERN (E & A) via Rabaul. ard wk, SHANSI (B & B) for Bydney. 9 AROS (Dedwell)

13 E-SANG (Jardine) for Fuochow. 13 NEWCHANG (H & B) for Shanghal. Il TSINAN (B & S) for Swatow. 14 4 25 WINGBANG (Jardine) for Keelung, Shanghai. 16 HAN MIN (CMSN) for Shanghal.

16 ANHUI (B & S) for Amoy, Swatow. 16 FUKIEN (B & B) for Shanghal. 10 HINDUSTAN (Jardine) for B'hal 16 TBINAN (B & S) for Swatow. 17 HUPEH (D & B) for Shanghal. 17 BIRDHANA (BI) for Amor and

17 TREVINCE (P & O) for Shanghai and Japan. 18 HUNAN (B & B) for Inchon. 10 TJISADANE (RIL) for Shanghat. 21 HEINRICH JESSEN (B & S) for Amoy, Swatow. 22 KUMCHON (Pattleon) for S. Korva.

BENALBANACH (Loxley) 18 Beg, MORTAIN (MM) for Shanghal, LOKSANG (Jardine) 24 5 JESSE LYKES (APL) for Takeo. MELISKERK (RIL) (RIL) 28 11 BRADEVERETT (Everett) for B'hal. SALMONIER (Loxley) 14 Mid. CHAMPOLLION (MM) for B'bal. End. STE MERE - EGLISE (MM) for

-Bhanghul.

CHOYSANG (Jardine) ex-Straite .. 31 14 BALI (Gilman) . for Marseilles, 14 CORFU (P & O) for London. 14 ELPENOR (B & S) for Liverpool 15 RIJNKERK (RIL) for Marsellien, Antwerp. 21 BENALBANACH . (Loxley) for Rotterdam, Hull. 19 RIJNKELK (RIE) via-Manila

16 SOMALI (P & O) for London and Continent 2nd half, BENCLEUCH (Loxley) for London. Antwerp.

24 RAVNAAB (Thorseen) via Manila. 29 MELISKERK (RIL) via Straits. End. BENVORLICH (Loxley) for Liver-Beg. MANCHURIA (East Asiatic).

CLYTONEUS. (B' & B) for Liverpool GLENGYLE (Jardine) for Aden. Port Said, Genos. 12 TREVINCE (P 4:0) for UK. Mid. BENMACDHUI (Loxley) for London Mid, MARIEKIRK"(RIL) via Manila and Biralls.

16 TREVINOR (P & Q) for UK and 2nd half BENGRUACHAN (Loxley) for Liverpool. 15 CANTON (P. & O) for London. End. CHAMPOLLION (MM) for Marsellles vin Baigort

Early. HALLAND (Gilman) for Aden Genon. William End BENWYVIB (Loxley) for Genou. London. End, MORTAIN (MM) for Europe, May Bog. KAMBODIA (East Asiatie). 18 CARTHAGE (P'& O) for Lendon.

Mid. LT DE LATTOUR (MM) via Selgon 14 ABTYANAX (I) & B) for Genoa, Marsellies. Beg. KOREA't (East Aniatio). 9 CORFU IP & U) for London

MIL BTE MERE EGLISE (MM). BEG. BLANKVANN (East Asiatio), 5 CARTHAGE (P. & C) for London. INDIA

> IN MANGOLA (BI) for Calcutta. Early, DAYBEAM (DI) for Calcutta, JAPAN.

14 EASTERN BAGA (Jardine) Yokohama. 14 STRAAT MALAKKA (RIL). 15 POYANG TO & B) for Yokohama .(enibrat) "NATBUGNIII 11. 17. TREVINCE (P. 4 O) for Japan. 18 - EASTERN BADA (Jardine)

Yokohama. 17 BIRDHANA (DI); 16 TAIREA (BI)-for Japan. 25 BRIRALA (BI) for Japan.

(Continued at foot of next Col.)

TODAY ATR FRANCE ex-Hanol, Halphong : 8 p.m. CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatow: 12.15 p.m., 5 p.m.; ex-Canton: 8.40 m.m., 10.10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12.30 p.m., 2.50 p.m., 8.35 p.m., 5.10 p.m.; ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Wake, Guam: 1 p.m.; ex-Shanghai: 12.10 p.m. CATC ex-Chungking via Canton: 2.15

CPA ex-Mantla: 11.30 a.m.; ex-Singapore via Bangkok: 2.80 p.m. HE AIRWAYS ex-Canton: 9.40 a.m., 11.40 s.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.; ex-Shanghair 2 p.m. PAA re-Manifai 1 p.m.

BRAATHENS ex-Oslo, Bangkok; \$ p.m. TOMORROW

CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatow; 12.45 p.m. B plm.: ex-Cantont 2.40 a.m., 10.10 s.m., 11 s.m., 12,80 p.m., 2.50 p.m., 8.15 p.m., 6.10 p.m.; ex-Foochow via Taipeh: 3.15 p.m.; ex-Shanghai: 11.48 m.m., 4.15 p.m.; ex-Taipeh: 4.15 p.m. IR Alkways ex-Canton; 9.40 a.m. 11.40 a.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m. TILL DING NOR ! T. 15 DING!

TUEBDAY AIR FRANCE ex-Salgon: 11.30 a.m. "CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatow: 12,45 p.m. 5 p.m.; ex-Canton; 8.40 a.m., 10.10 s.m., 11 s.m., 12.50 p.m., 2.50 p.m. 2.35 p.m., 5.10 p.m.; ex-Shanghair 11.45 a.m., 3.25 p.m.

CATC ex-Taipeh via Amoy, Swatow: 6.20 p.m.; ex-Kunming via Liuchow, Canton: 6.30 p.m. CPA ex-Manifa: 11.20 n.m. HK AIRWAYS ex-Canton: 9.40 a.m. 11,40 a.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m.

PAA ex-San Francisco via Ronolulu, Midway, Wake, Guam, Manila: 1 p.m. AL ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Wake, Guam, Manting 2 p.m. OAC ex-Houthampton, Bangkok: 8 p.m.; ex Tokyo, 'Iwakunii 3 p.m.; ex-Singapore: 4 p.m.

Departures

TODAY CNAC for Amoy via Swatow: 7 s.m., 11.15 a.m.: Canton: 8.05 a.m., 8.65 a.m., 10.25 a.m., 12.45 p.m., 1.80 p.m., 3.05 p.m., 3.50 p.m.; Rangoon via Kunming: 1.10 a.m.: Shanghait 8 a.m., f.20 a.m. Taipeh via Swatow: 8.20 a.m.

CATO for Shanghai via Canton, Amort 8 s.m.; Amoy: 7 a.m. HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m. PAA for Bangkok; 2,30 p.m. BOAC for Iwakuni, Tokyon 6.80 a.m. (two days late).

TOMORROW AIR FRANCE for Halphong, Hanois 7 s.m. CNAC for Amoy via Swatow: 7 s.m.

11.15 s.m.; Canton: 8.05 s.m., 8.53 a.m., 10.25 a.m., 12.45 p.m., 1.30 p.m., 8.05 p.m., 8.50 p.m.; Foochow via Amoy: 8 a.m.; Shanghai: 8 a.m. 12,45 p.m. ATC for Shanghai via Canton, Amoy-. 8 a.m.: Amoy: 7 a.m. CPA for Manila: 2,30, p.m.; Singapore

via Bangkok; 7 a.m. HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 a.m.," 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 8 p.m. PAA for San Francisco via Manila, Guam, Wake, Midway, Honolulu: 3.46

: TUESDAY AIR FRANCE for Balgon: 12.30 p.m. CNAC for Amoy via Swatowt 7 s.m. 21.15 a.m.; Canton: 8.05 a.m., 8.55 a.m., 10.25 a.m., 12.45 p.m., 1.20 p.m., \$.05 p.m., 3.50 p.m.; Shanghal; \$

BOAC for Singapore: 8 a.m.

a.m., 12.45 p.m. CATC for Taipeh via Swatow, Amoy: a.m.: Kunming: 7 a.m.: Shanghair HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 a.m., m.in., I p.in., 3 p.in. AA for Rangkokt 2.30 p.m.

BRAATHENS for Bangkok, Oslo: 7 a.m.

SOUTH EAST PORTS 13 REBEVERETT (Everett) for S'gapore HAI TAI (CMSN) for Halphong. 14 RIJNKERK (BIL) for . Manila,

14 VAN RIEMSDUK (RIL) for Straits. 18 HIRAM (Thorseen) for Singapore, Penang. 18 NANKIN (EA) for Manile, 16 HANGSANG (Jardine) for Sandakan. 16 SOMALI (P & O) for Straits, 17 BALMONIER (Loxley) for B'gapore. 17 TITTIALENOKA (RIL) for Macassar 19 TASMAN . (RIL) for Manila.

11 PADUCAH VICTORY (UBL) 22 PRES. MONROE (APL) for Manila-25 BOUGAINVILLE (Bank) for B'pore. 25 FLYING CLIPPER (Pattison) 25 · PRES, GRANT (APL) for Socrabala,

Batavia 23 SANGOLA (DI) for Straits. 28 LOKSANG (Jardine) for Straits. 28 TJIBADANE (RIL) for Manila. 80 TABMAN (RIL) for Java ports and End. TITANIA (Dodwell) for Manile,

Early, DAYBEAM (BI) for Bingapore, Ber. ST. MICHAEL (MM) for Halphong. 2 HAI LEE (Thoresen) for Singapore. 2 NOREVERETT (Everett) for Manila. 2 PRES. BUCHANAN (APL) for

Manile. 2 VAN HEUTSZ (RIL) for Straits. \$ SIRDHANA (BI) for Straits and

6 BELAPUR (Everett) for Singapore. PIONEER BAY (UBL) for Manila. 12 TJIBADAK (RIL) for Manile. 18 -ALMERIA LYKES (APL) for Manile 14 TJIBADANE (RIL) for Java ports. 16 PRES. VAN BUREN (APL) tor 16 TREVINCE (P & O) for Stratts.

28 TJIBADAK (RIL) for Macassar. so PRES, HARDING (APL) for Manila. End. TALISMAN (Dedwell) for Munital, 16 PRES. JEFFERBOR! (APL)

SOUTH AMERICA II BITTAAT MALAKKA (RIL). HOISSEVAIN (RIL):

IS STRAAT BOENDA (RIL). 17 TEGELDERG (RIL). ROUND THE WORLD

18 MOUNT MANSPIELD 'YAPL) (Singapore direct). 22 PRES MONHON (APL). April 19 # PRES. BUOHANAN (APL).

16 PRES. VAN BUREN (APL). so PRES, HARDING (APL). 14 PRES. JEFFERSON (APL). to MARINE SNAPPER (APL).

14 PRES. POLK (APL).

s.a. Kumebon Voy. & from Bouth Kores and Moil, will leave for Inchon and Pusan on or about March 12.

FREIGHT DEPARTMENT PASSAGE DEPARTMENT 16 PEDDER ST. TEL. 30311 6/8 CHATER RD. TRL. 20111

INDO-CHINA S. N. CO., LTD. BAILINGS to Taku, Bar, Inchen & Pusan noon 18th Mar. to Keelung & Shanghai noon 14th Mar. S.S. "HANGSANG" . to Sandakan M.V. "EASTERN 9 a.m. 16th Mar. to Yokohama, Nagoya BAGA" & Kobe 18th Mar. S.S. "WINGSANG" ... to Keelung & Shanghal S.S. "LOKSANG" 25th Mar. ... to Straits & Calcutta 28th Mar.

ARRIVALS M.V. "EASTERN from Calcutta, Rangoon, SAGA" Straits & Bangkok 15th Mar. ... from Sandakan 18th Mar. "WINGSANG" ... from Shanghai & Keelung Zird Mar. from Japan Ports S.S. "CHOYSANG" from Calcutta, Straits 24th Mar. 31st Mar.

SINCOPORT FOR TOURT, JESSELTON, LABUAN, TAWAU. LADHAD-DATU and SEMPORNA via Sandakan. AUSTRALIA CHINA LINE LTD.

Cargo accepted on Through Bills, of Lading for MADRAS

M.V. "KAFIRISTAN" Loads 15/16th March Buoy A7, for Rabaul, Lac, Brisbanc, Sydney, Melbourne & Adelaide, Cargo accepted on Through Bills of Lading for New Zealand and Fiji Island

M.V. "HINDUSTAN" Due Hong Kong a.m. 14th March to No. 1 Kowloon Wharf. Sails about 17th March for Japanese ports via Keelung. (Carriers option to proceed via other ports to load and discharge cargo.

GLEN LINE LTD. SAILINGS TO U.R. AND CONTINENT VIA SUEZ: M.V. "GLENGARRY" for Colombo, Aden, Port Said, Casa, blanca, London, Antwerp, Rotterdam & Hamburg. Loads 18th March. M.V. "GLENGYLE" for Colombo, Aden, Port Said. Genou. London, Rotterdam & Antwerp.

Loads 9th April. (Carriers option to proceed via other Ports to load and discharge cargo)... ARRIVALS FROM U.K. VIA STRAITS:

leaves London due Hong Kong 10th Feb. M.V. "GLENGYLE" 17th Mar. M.V. "DENBIGHSHIRE" 24th Feb. 5th April M.V. "GLENROY" 10th Mar. 16th April M.V. "GLENARTNEY"..... 21st Mar. 28th April M.V. "GLENORCHY" 7th April 16th May M.V. "GLENEARN" 22nd April 30th May

All above sailings & arrivals are subject to alteration without notice All intending Passengers are requested to register their names de far as possible in advance of the time at which they wish to leave.

PRINCE LINE LTD. PACIFIC TRANSPORT LINES INC. WESTERN CANADA STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

(See separate advertisements)

AUSTRALIA CHINA LINE LTD. M.V. "KAFIRSTAN"

LOADS HONGKONG 15th/16th MARCH BUOY A-7

RABAUL, LAE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY,

MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE

THROUGH BILLS OF LADING TO NEW ZEALAND AND FIJI ISLANDS PORTS

(Carrier's option to proceed via other ports to load and discharge cargo).

For further particulars please apply JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD. Freight Dept., Pedder Street. Phone 30311

Subject to alteration without notice

Pille M. PACIFIC TRANSPORT LINES INC.

LOADING FOR -KEELUNG, OKINAWA, FUSAN, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, LOS ANGELES & SAN FRANCISCO

8.8. "PACIFIC TRANSPORT" ... Loads Hong Kong 23th March. Arrives Los Angeles 17th April (Refrigerated space)

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.

Freight: 16, Pedder Street Tol: 30311

Passengerss 6/8 Chater Bead

HONGKONG/MACAO

PAILY GAILING

FROM HONGKONG FROM MACAO HOLLON WHARF IN No. 20: WHARF HING" 9.00 A.M. 2.30 P.M.

FROM HONGKONG FROM MACAO TUNG ON WHARF No. 18 WHARF

WING HING" 1.60 P.M. 2.80 A.M. Further Particulars Floase Apply:-

TA HING Co. (H.R.) Ltd. St. George's Bldg. Tels: \$1268, 21289 Subject to Alterations Without Notice



Agents: CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD. SAILINGS TO

UTSINAN"	Swatow noon 13th Mar.
"NEWCHWA	Mol & Pusan 10 a.m. 13th Mar.
"FURIEN"	Keeling, Shanghai. 7 n.m. 16th Mar.
	Tokohama & Kobe 10 a.m. 15th Mar. Inchon & Tientsin 10 a.m. 18th Mar.
"ANHUI"	Amoy, Swatow, Hainow,
	Rolewson & Penny 10 a.m. 16th Mar.

Shanghal 4 p.m. 17th Mar. HEINRICH JESSEN" Amoy, Swatow, Halhow, Salgon, Singapore, Balawan & Penang .. 5 p.m. 21st Mar.

Catha from Linetadian Wharf ARRIVALS FROM

4.30 p.m. 13th Mar. Nagasaki . 9 a.m. 15th Mar. Swatow SERVICE

"Canton / Hongkong Hongkong/Canton ARR. Hongkong DEP. Hongkong 10 a.m. 17th Mar. 8 p.m. 14th Mar. 11 p.m. 18th Mar. .7.30 a.m. Zist Mar.

Agents: BLUE FUNNEL LINE

SCHEDULE SAILINGS TO LIVERPOOL via Aden & Port Said. via Genoa, Marsellles & GLASGOW 14th Mar.

I"ELPENOR" "CLYTUNEUS" via flavre via Genoa Marseilles & Glasgow. "XANAXTEA" I Non Schedule Sailing.

"CLYTONEUS"

"ASTYANAK"

"EUMAEUB"

"TYNDAREUS"

"TTTAN"

Arrivals from 13th Mar. TIK. via Straits 26th Mar. 1st April 3rd April. 8th April U.K. via Straits & Manila

NEW YORK SERVICE Arrivals from

17th March 20th March Loads for U.S.A.U.S.A. via Manila 21st April. "AGAMENNON" Carriers option to proceed via other Ports to load and discharge

Agents: Australian-Oriental Line, Ltd. Sailings to

SOOCHOW

"SHANSI"

...... Sandakan, Belsbane, Sydney & Melbourne Sydney, Melbourne & Brisbane

4 p.m. 15th Mar. 3rd Week April

Arrivals from Australia & Manila

2nd Week April

24th Apr.

All The Above Subject To Alteration Without Notice

General Agents for:

Booking Agents for:

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL AIRWAYS, CATHAY PACIFIC AIRWAYS, BKYWAYS (FAR EAST) LTD. B.O.A.C., C.N.A.C., H.K. AIRWAYS P.O.A.S., P.A.A., P.A.L. and N.W.A.

For passage and Freight Particulars Apply To The Above.

1. CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL Branch Office-50 Connaught Rd., W. Tels. 25875, 32144, 24878

HOLLAND-EAST ASIA LINE

"RIJNKERK" LOADING 14th MARCH

MANILA, CEBU, SINGAPORE, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, ALEXANDRIA, GENOA, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP ROTTERDAM, AMSTERDAM, HAMBURG, COPENHAGEN, GOTHENBURG & OSLO

Incorporated in the Netherlands as Koninkiljké Java-China-Paketvaart Lijnen N.V. Amsterdam

Kingt Building, Connaught Road. Tels. 28015, 28016, 28017.

HOLLAND-EAST ASIA LINE

LOADING 28th MARCH Tail FOR

MANILA, SINGAPORE, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, ALEX-ANDRIA, GENOA, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM. AMBTERDAM, HAMBURG, COPENHAGEN, GOTHENBURG & OBLO:

Tanks Available for Oil in Bulk ROYAL INTEROCEAN LINES

Incorporated in the Notherlands as. Ronmaniko Java China Paketvaatt Linen N.V. Ameleiden 37

Acting a Building, Connaught Road.

Negotiations are under way between owners of the ill fated Chinese steamer Ningpo and the Chinese Seamen Union (Hong Kong) regarding compensation for the wounded.

The Ningpo exploded near-Shameen, Canton, on March, 3 crew and wounding 30.

fort Mission."

Mr. Shiu Hing, a member of the CSU's executive committee is communicating with the ship's ceived full details of the ar- Wilkinson and Grist, represented owners in Hong Kong.

hat, bringing 47 European DPs. | preceded by a cocktail party.

Mr. and Mrs. Vladimir Rei- of The Gripps Orchestra. Irish hardt, parents of Mr. Ralph Shaw, orchestral music and Pipes wil press relation officer of Yung be played during dinner. permission to settle here.

Mr. Reihardt, an expert dis-Ferry leaving Hong Kong at 2.30 tiller, has been in China for more fa.m. has been arranged for Kowthan 15 years. He visited Man- loon residents. churin before he settled Shanghai. He is 84 years old.

The Korean steamer Kumchon' steamed into port making her 1949 are President: Mr. D.J.S. recond call here.

overhauling here before returning to South Korea.

The ss. Hiram, flying the Nor- J.C.M. wegian flag, brought 1,500 tons and B. Sheehan. of rice and general merchandise from Rangoon via Holhow.

The master reported that the vessel touched a mudbank in the Halnan Straits but no damage was sustained.

The Hiram encountered patches of fog en route. Another Norweglan ship en-

tered port yesterday. She is the new motorship Hoi Wong, which completed her first trip to Malaya bringing 744 passengers and 350 tons of cargo. The Hoi Wong came in through

the fog by her radar equipment.

WONDER CATTLE SPRAY

Concentrated 1-100 for spraying fined HK\$1,000. · 1-300 for dipping is effective on Range and Mr. Blair-Kerr said: "It seems to Dairy Cattle, Dogs, Sheep. Gonts, Swine and Small Herds.

against Lice, Tick, Hornfly and Barn Flies.

Insures you positive control

To be used in conjunction wit an Atomical Sprayer.

Obtainable from

RELY CHEMICALS 506, National Bank Bldg. Tel. 25864.

St. Patrick's Day For Extension

St. Patrick's Day on March 17 will be commemorated in the Colony by the St. Patrick's Society of Hong Kong with a dinner dance and wreath-laying ceremony at the Cenotaph. At 11 a.m. on Thursday, the

A statement from the Society day. An official of the CSU has gone | yesterday said that members who North side of the Supreme Court

> Honorary Becretary, Post Office Kong) Limited. Box No. 615.

The dinner dance will be held called here yesterday on her lowing day at The Gripps, Hong "Refugee Mission" from Shang Bong Hotel. The dinner will be Dancing will be to the music

Hwa Motion Pictures Studio, At dinner there will be a disdisembarked with Government tribution of Shamrocks by pipers was only eight days out of time. claimed that she had been in for of the 1st Battalion, of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. 'A

> Irish men and women in the Colony not yet members of the Society and who wish to join time by only a few days. are requested to communicate

with the Secretary. The officers of the Society for Crozier: Vice-Presidents: Sur-She arrived late last year for geon Capt. T.N. D'Arcy, RN, and her first visit and underwent Mr. F.G. Maunder; Hon. Secretary: Mr. Denis G. Sherriff; Hon. Treasurer: Mr. F. Shanks: Committee: Dr. J.P. Fehily, Messrs. J. B. Griffin, C.E. Terry, W. La Barte Sparrow, R.E. Farrell, Grenham, J.B.P. Byrne

Bluestein Rent

The Blucstein rent case came to an end yesterday when Mr. Blair-Kerr convicted the defendant on 10 summonses of over-charging rent at 102 Waterloo Road brought by her three former sub-tenants through Mr. A.S.C. Comber.

The defendant, Mrs. Haia Bluestein, after an unsuccessful 'submission of no case to answer by

Finding the defendant guilty, me that the serious aspect of these tenancy offences is the failure of the principal tenant either to post | temporarily "suspended until further up in a conspicuous part of the notice. premises a statement of the rent paid by him to the landlord or to Articles and Parcel Posts close 20 minutes hand to the tenants a note of that is considered a fair propor—
tion of that rant and to furnish.

Posts close at 5 pm. on the previous day. tion of that rent, and to furnish the landlord with the names of the sub-tenents and the rents GPO closing times. paid-by-then. - All-that-is clearly laid down in Section 11 of the Landlord and Tenant, Ordinance, and if tenants would obey these rules a lot of unpleasantiess might be avoided."

Peninsular



STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

M.S. "SOMALI"

Loading on March 15th for STRAITS, COLOMBO, PORT SUDAN, LONDON & CONTINENT.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO.

P. & O. Building, Hong Kong.

Tel. 27721 (4 Lines)

HONG KONG-CANTON "HONGKONG"

H.K. DEPARTURE:

CANTON DEPARTURE:

10 p.m. 12/3/1949 10 p.m. 14/3/1949 10 p.m. 16/3/1949 10 p.m. 18/3/1949 TUNG. ON WHARF

13/3/1949 'D.m. 15/3/1949 9 p.m. 17/3/1949 9: p.m. 19/3/1049 and Thomas LUEN JUNG WHARP.

Subject To Alteration Without Botice. Passenger Tickets & Freight Particulars Obtainable At: TAK KEESHIPPING & TRADING CO., LTD. AGENTS.

130, CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL (Office Hours, Tel. 22338, 27091)

TUNG ON WHARF (Before walling hours, Tel. 40045) _# TAI CHING SHIPPING CORP. LTD.

An application by L. Rondon and Company (Hong Kong) Limited for an extension of time within which to file a. Roturn of Allotment in respect President of the Society, Mr. D. of 1,400 shares of HK\$500 J. S. 'Crozier, accompanied by each was granted by Mr. Juskilling three members of the members of the Society, will tice Williams (Pulsne Judge) place n wreath at the Cenothph. at the Supreme Court yester-

Mr. Justice Williams ordered to Canton hospitals with a "Com- will take part in the Cenotoph that the necessary Return be filed ceremony should assemble on the within two weeks by from rester- Kwo Ling, who was described by

Members who have not yet re- by Mr. B.N. Cooper of Messra. rangements should contact the L. Rondon and Company (Hong Mr Wright said that the Re-

turn wan not filed within the time theatre tickets. arising from extreme pressure of tion on a similar offence, Mr. business. This fact was disclosed Binir-Kerr imposed a fine of \$175 in an affidavit which had been filed or six weeks. by Mr. Jean-Marie Gudin, a director of the Company.

Justice Williams said that in day on h same charge: hawking future cases he would require | without licence. This time she further details of the "insdver- only wept. tence." The application in the present case was only being granted the others. because the Return was out of

Mr. Justice Williams referred to a recent decision by Valsey J., in had been discharged by her emthe Chancery Division, in which it player, Chan Chuen cooked up a was laid down that an allidavit story that she had been indecentfiled in support of an application of this mature, should not state merely that the omission was "due to inadvertence" or restrict Itself to the bare language of the Section. Such a course afforded no information to the Court.

In future, no such affidavit would be accepted unless the nature of the inadvertence was clearly set

POST OFFICE MAIL NOTICE

Outward Mails

OUTWARD MAIL TO U.K. surface mail to United Kingdom per RMS "Carfu" will be closed in follows:-Monday, March 14 GPO: (Peg.) 9 a.m., (Ord.) 9.80 a.m. Kowhon CPO: (Reg.) 8.10 n.m., (Ord.)

9 m.m. This mail is expected to arrive at London on or about April 15, 1949. With effect from March 3, 1949, correspondence intended to be forwarded her counsel Mr. Percy Chen, was "by air to London only" and then by surface mail to destination, must be superscribed "By Air to London only". (In future - it will not be sufficient to merely superscribe such correspondence

Mail Service to Tienteln and Pelping in

Unless otherwise stated, Registered Mulle are closed at Kowloon Central Post Office half an hour earlier than the

-- HUNDAY, MARCH-13----Closing Times by Air Canton and Hankow, (Kowloon CPO) 19 m.m., 12.10 p.m.; (CPO) 5.80 m.m.,

'Airmail for Swalow and Amoy, (Reg.) '8 p.m. 12/3, (Ord.) 9 a.m. 13/8. Airmail for Talnan! Airmail for Shauxhal, Nanking and Tsingteo; Airmail for Forthow, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 13/1, (Ord.) 10 a.m. 18/2; Airmuit for Bangkok, Singapore, Batavia,

Colombo, Bydary and Auckland, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 12/,3, (Ord.) 10 s.m. Airmail for Haiphong and Hanol, (Reg.)

8 9.m. 12/8, (Ord.) 10 am. 13/3.

Airmail for Shanghal, (Reg.) 5 p.m. 12/3,

(Ord.) 10 mm. 13/8, Closing Times by Sea Manila. 0 6.3m. Bwatow, 10 a.m.

Court Brevities

Two men charged with intent to commit felony by demanding money from Wong Yung, the complainant, were found not guilty by Mr. Blair-Kerr. They were, howover convicted on a subsequent charge of being in possession of a chopper, with evil intents. The chopper was found on first defendant, Lai Ching, who received three months and ordered to be deported. The second, Mr D.A.L. Wright, instructed who allowed himself to be evilly led," received six weeks.

> Caught with the goods by DSI Leslie. Lam Hung was convicted on a charge of black-marketing

The little girl who had been Wright, had been allotted on Dec- discharged by Mr. Blair-Kerr at ember 31, 1948, and the Return the Juvenile Court after she Granting the application, Mr. four days, came up again yester-

She was fined \$5 along with

In a fit of temper after she ly assaulted by him. She made this report to the police at Kowloon City, which she later admitted as untrue.

Before Mr. Blair-Kerr, charged with creating a public mischief by giving wrong information to the police, Chan was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment, after she had changed her plea three times which evoked this remark from the magistrate: "Can't you make up your mind?"

"I had nothing to eat and so I stole," stated a 10-year-old boy charged with larceny of \$1.75 from a hawker's money tin. Police enquirles revealed that the boy came to the Colony to seek his-mother who was employed at an address he did not know.

The representative of the Juvenile Care Centre Intervened on behalf of the child and the magistrate agreed that the boy should be sent home to be with his relatives.

Charged with stealing some jewellery, a 16-year-old girl was remanded in police custody for three days to give the police time to make further enquiries,

There was again little movement in gold prices yesterday. After opening at HK\$304.871/2 a tael, it moved up a dollar, but dropped to \$305 at the close. US dollars were unchanged at

IK\$5.19¼. Gold Yuan for Hong Kong delivery was unchanged HK\$1,2.25 for 10,000, but for Canton remittances it dropped to \$9.45. For Shanghal remittances it way \$7.90. Plastres opened at HK\$10.20

100, dropped to \$10.15, and closed Ticals were unchanged HK\$24.30 a 100.

NEI Guilders were slightly ensign at HK\$33,40 a 100: Sterling was slightly higher a HK\$15.18, while Australian pounds, on the other hand, eased off to HK\$12.75.

The SWEDISH EAST ASIATIC Co., Ltd.

M.S. "BALI" Loading 14th March

ADEN, PORT SAID, GENOA, MARSEILLES, CADIZ CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM (AMSTERDAM), HAMBURG, COPENHAGEN, OSLO and GOTHENBURG. Deep tanks available for Bulkoil For further particulars apply:-

& CO., LTD. Tol. Blies



ISTHMIAN LINE

(Isthmian Steamship Co. of N.Y.)

S.S. "STEEL CHEMIST" LOADING 19th MARCH

HONOLULU, LOS ANGELES, HOUSTON, NEW OBLEANS, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA and BOSTON. DEEP TANKE AVAILABLE FOR HULKOIL.

> GILMAN & CO., LTD. CHINESE PREICHT AGENTS:-HIN FAT G.CO., LTD. Tale 20030, 20033, and 25405.

For further particulars apply

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL S.N. CO.

PASSENGER/FREIGHT BERVICE DAR HONGKONG LEAVES LONDON DUTWARDS 11th April Joth March AA "LANTUN" 9th May 7th. April S.S. "CARTHAQE" tib June "COXPU" 4th July LE "CANTON"

DUE LONDON TEVARS HONCEONG HOMEWARD Ifth April 14th March AL "CORPU" 16th May 18th April es "Canyun" 18th June 18th May AL "CARTHAGE" 11th July Sth June a.a. "CORPU" Ath August 8th Jub A. "CANTON" 8th September Sth August "A.B. PCARTELAGE" Vie Biogapore, Pennog, Colombo, Bombay, Aden & Pert Beid.

PREIGHT BERVICE MA "TREVINCE" sails 17th Mar. for Shanghal & Japan. BA "TREVELYAN" Hong Kong cargo transhipped at Bingspore to m.s. "TREVINCE". due 15th Mar. from Kobe & Shanghal. MA "SOMALI"

salls 16th Mar. for Straits, Colombo, Tort Sudan, U.K. A Continent. sails 16th Apr. for Straits, Colombo, ma. "TREWELLARD" due 20th Apr. from London & Continent. "SOMALI" is fitted with the DRIHOLD traiem of ventilation.

and has space for retrigerated except and oil, in bulk. BRITISH INDIA S.N. CO., LTD.

due 14th Mar. from Calcutta via Straits BAL "BIRDITANA" . sails 17th Mar. for Amoy & Japan. (Apear Line) due 21st Mar, frum Japan & Shanghal. MA "BANGOLA" . for Straits, Rangoon & ealls 23rd Mar. Calcutta, Accepta Chiltagung & Madras cargo. due end Mar. from Japan & Shanghai. BA "DATERAM" sails early Apr. for Singapore, Penang. Madras, Bombay, Karachi and Tersian Guif. due Sist Mar. from Japan & Bhanghal. MA "SIRDHANA" . sails 3rd Apr., for Straits, Rangoon & (Apent Line) Calcutta, Accepts Chite. tagong & Madras cargo. Calcutta due 14th Apr. from LE "TAIREA" (Apcer Line) sails 16th Apr. for Japan via Amoy. "RICHMOND HILL"due 20th Apr. from Bombay & Ransails 24th Apr. for Japan (Far East/ (Bombay Service). due 23rd Apr. for Calcutta via Straits, MEDIRALA" sails 25th Apr. for Japan via Amoy. . (Apear Line) due end Apr. from Burms. BLE "PURNBA" sails end Apr. for Japan (Far East/

Humbay Bervice). . These ships have Refrigerated Cargo, space. EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN S.S. Co., Ltd.

BA "NANKIN" " In port. salls 19th Mur. for Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide & Wellington direct from Australia. due 22nd Mar. AL "MASTERN" sails early May for Australia via Rabaul. . Accepts cargo on through bills of slading for NEW ZEALAND &

Total and the later to the late For full particulars apply to:-MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO. Telephone Nos. 27721-4.

the belief the belief the belief

THE ISLANDS PORTS.

The SWEDISH EAST ASIATIC CO., Ltd.

ARRIVALS FROM EUROPE. M.V. HALLAND Discharging16th Apr. M.V. TAMARA Early May SAILINGS TO EUROPE M.V. BALILoading 14th Mar., M.V. HALLAND Early May

ADEN, PORT SAID, GENOA, MARSEILLES, CADIZ,

CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM (AMSTERDAM),

Tel. 81146.

HAMBURG, COPENHAGEN, OSLO & GOTHENBURG. Deep Tanks Available for Bulkoil For Turther particulars apply; GILMAN & CO., LTD.



(Esthmian Steamship Co. of N.X.)

ARRIVALS FROM U.S. ATLANTIC COAST S.S. "STEEL TRAVELER" Discharging 10th Apr.

Salls for Balgon. & Bangkok 10th Apr. SAILINGS TO U.S.A. VIA PANAMA

B.S. "STEEL OHEMIST" Loading 19th Mar. 12th Apr. 12th Apr. HONOLULU, LOS ANGELES, HOUSTON, NEW ORLEANS, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE, PHILADELPHIA and BOSTON.

Doop Tanks Available for Bulkoil. & CO., LTD.

Agents. Chinese Freight Agents HIN CAT 4 CO., LID.

Tole: 28623, 25562 & 25483

SMART...NEW.

Patterns planned to go with your favourite

suits. Wrinkle-proof fabric, no chance of

knot slipping; wrinkles "hang out" overnight."

BOTANY MILLS, INC. PASSAIC, NEW JERSEY, U.S.A.

Exclusive Representative:

METROPOLITAN TRADING CO.

P.O. Box No. 179, Hong Kong.

Authorized Dealers:

Tyeb & Company

China Emporium Ltd.

Krishna Silk Store

King's Company.

Dependable

The Dragon Light Co., Ltd.

Sincere Co., Ltd.

The Mayfair Co., Ltd.

The Dragon Seed Co., Ltd.

Wing On Co., Ltd.

Mackintosh's Ltd.

Cambridge Co., Ltd.

Elite Styles

Craigengower CC Defeat Indian

Billimoria's Brilliant Bowling; Recreio Score Win Over RAF

el Arculli 19

Ramchand & Kitchell

H. Ismail run out

..... 15

Extras

S. Keshaw o F. M. Arculli b

Total (for nine wkts.)

E. H. Esmail did not but.

A. R. Kitchell 6.4 __

Bowling Analysis

Recroio-RAF

Club de Recrelo, Champions of

the First Division Cricket Lengue,

playing at home, added to their

honours with a 46 run victory

were contributed by D. M. L.

RECREIO

Actes to the conference of

Extras 11

E. M. L. Soures e Morris b

A. M. Rodrigues b Hodgson

E. L. Gosano c Crellin b Gant-

P. M. N. da Silva c Marshall

Gambrill

Gambrill

G. Gosano not out

D. A. Remedios, F. Luz and A.

M. Prata did not bat.

Gall b Percira

Marshall run, out

Crellin b G. N. Gosano . . .

Beirne c and b E. L. Gosano

Morris b A. P. Pereira Follett lbw b E. L. Gosano

Clarke lbw b E. L. Gosano

Kirtley & G. N. Gosano b Prata

N. A. Beltrao e Crellin b

A. P. Poreira, not out

Hodgrun

Marshall

G. N. Gosano lbw b Marshall

Hodgson

D. Readman not out

b Kitchell

T. Crabtree b Abban

Kitchell

I. M. Omar

over the RAF.

Craigengower Cricket Club confounded their critics yesterday when, playing at home, they beat a strong Indian Recreation Club XI by eight wickets in a First League cricket match.

IRC's debacle was mainly due to the brilliant bowling of Billimoria, who captured six wickets for 29 runs,

Club de Recroio, Champions of the First Division, beat RAF at King's Park by 45 runs, after declaring at 154 for six.

"Scorpions" had an easy time R. Tay b Abbas against Royal Navy; whom J. I. Youngsaye & Wahab b A. they bent by eight wickets. The friendly game between K. M. Ramjaha e & b Omar ... HKCC "Optimists" and Kowloon G. A. Souza retired :. . . .

Cricket Club at King's Park resulted in a five-wicket victory for R. J. Billimoria e A. el Arculli the "Ontimists." The Kowloun Cricket Club 2nd NI atoned for the defeat of their Seniors by defeating Club de Re-

creto in a friendly match at Cox's Road by seven wickets, CCC--IRC

Brilliant lowling on the part of Billimoria and a well played Innings of 28 by K. M. Ramjahn onabled Craigengower to beat IRC by eight wickets in a First League cricket match at Happy Valley. Winning the tons, Sc. n, the A. of Arculli . home team captain, decid , to put A. B. Abbas ... the Indiana in to but on an easy

wicket. Razack and Ismail opened the innings for IRC and when both of them seemed well set for a big partnership, Ismail was run out. Razack went on to but confidently until Tay took a brilliant onehanded catch, six inches from the ground,

With the exception of F. M. el Arculli, who scored 11 not out, the whole IRC team was out for the small score of 50 runs. Billimoria The Airmen were all dismissed for captured six wickets for 29 runs. Craigengower obtained nocessary runs for victory after losing two wickets. K. M. Rum-

jahn was top-scorer for OCC, hitting up 28 before being enught and bowled by Omar. J. L. Youngsaye (19) and G. A Souza (17 retired) also did well with the bat. A. R. Kitchell captured three wickets for 21 runs.

M. I. Bazack c Tay b Grabtree S. A. Ismail run out A. R. Kitchell b Billimoria ... A. R. Abbas lbw Billimoria ... A. R. Suffind c Scuza b Crab-F. M. cl Arculli not out At el Arcuili e Keshaw b Crabtree I. M. Omar e Souza b Billimoria M. A. Wahab Sr. c Ismail b Billimoria M. Samy b Billimoria R. A. Bux lbw Billimoria

Extrag Billimoria ... 8,2 1 Crabtree

Loose Teeth mean that you have Pyorrhea, Trench Mouth or perhaps some bad disease that will sooner or later cause your teeth to fall out and may also cause Rheumatism and Heart Trouble. Amosan stops gum bleeding the first day, ends sore mouth and quickly tightens the teeth. Iron clad guarantee. Amosan must make your mouth well and save your testh or money back on return of empty package. Get Ameson from your chem-

Amosananintes pro-For Prorshes Trench Mouth *******

RaffertOut Of Hospital

Rafferty, the Royal Navy soccer centre-forward who has been detained in Hosnital since December 26, was dis-

charged during the week. He broke his collar-bone while playing for England against Portugal in the International Soccer Cup Competition at Happy Valley on Boxing Day, England won that game by six goals to

Rafferty indulged in some light soccer practice on Thursday.

*************** Hayhurat e G. N. Gosano b L. G. Gosano Gambrill b L. G. Gosano Hodgson not out Bowling Analysis

P. Pereira 9 L. G. Gosano , 11 L. G. Gosano , 4,3 P. M. N. da Silva

Scorpions—Navy HKCC "Scorpions" beat Royal After scoring 154 for six, Navy by eight wickets in a First Recreio declared their innings as Theague cricket match at Chater closed and sent RAF in to bat. Road.

Navy batted first and were all out for 87 runs, the only batsmen Highest score for Recreto was to offer any opposition to the recorded by E. L. Gozano who bowling of the "Scorplons" being scored 46. Other useful scores Venables (38) and Slater (20). Kerr was the most successful Soares (32) and L. G. Gosano howler for the "Scorpions," taking two wickets for two runs. Gambrill took three wickets for |Cull (three for 18) and Howarth 45 runs and Hodgson, two for 42. (four for 32) also came off well The remaining Recredo wicket fell with the ball,

to Marshall at the cost of 23 runs. "Scorpions" were given a good Deadly bowling by the Recreio start by L.F. Stokes, who bowlers kept the RAF saubdued, knocked up 62 runs before being only Morris passing the 20 mark. bowled by Garrod. After secur-E. L. Gosano had a grand day ing the necessary runs for vicat cricket. After his 46-run bat-Ttory, the "Scorpions" continued ting effort, he claimed three RAF batting and eventually declared wickets for 14 runs. L. G. Gosano at 158 for five.

took two for 21 while A. P. Percira ROYAL NAVY also claimed two but gave away Evans, b Cult Workman, b Howarth White, c Stewart, b Cull ... Betts, lbw Howarth 32 Hughes, b Howarth Garrod, b Cull Venables, b.Gee Windmill, b Howarth 46 | Slater, e Cull, b Kerr 20 Moise, not out King, st. Hughes, b Kerr ... Extras

Total for 6 dec: 154 BCORPIONS L.F. Stokes, b Garrod 62 opening bat, 26. O.J. Kerr, b White

T.A. Pearce; e Betts, b Evans 24 wickets each for 14 and 19 D.H. Leach, o Garrod, b R. Cull, lbw White Toinl (for 5 wkts) 158 out to his credit.

G.A. Stewart, F. Howarth, R. H. for 15 runs. Lee and Fincher Hughes, A.P. Weir and E.F. claimed one each for 27 Gee did not but,

KCC-Recreio In a Second Division friendly cricket match at Cox's Road, Kowloon Cricket Club bent Club tE. B. Fincher did not but) de Recrelo by seven wickets. First to bat, Recreio only managed to score 81 runs, with L.E. Guterres and E.A.R. Alves A.L. Snalth

White took two wickets for G.T. Rowe five runs. Hancock and Matthews W.T. Slatger claimed four for 30 and three for R.W. Franklin respectively. KCC passed Recreio's total A.S. Erson .
after losing three wickets. KCC L.D. Kilbee

continued to but and Hancock F. Thorpe 1 knecked up 40 before retiring. Matthews also retired after scoring 34 runs. L.E. Guterres was best bowler for Recreio with two for 15 ln three overs. Alves took two wickets for 31 runs. A.V. Lopes

claimed one for one and Osmund one for 28. RECREIO A.E. Noronha, b Matthews ... 0 + t.A. Remedios, c and b Han-

Osmund, b Hancock E.M. Rosario, run out L.E. Guterres, b Hancock . . . E.A.R. Alves, c Trueman, b A.V. Lopes, lbw b Matthews L. Vieira, e and b White ... 2 D.M. Rodrigues, c Trueman, b

Hancock A.D.O. Sales, not out Extras Bowling Analysis

White KCC E. Randall, b Alves H. Matthews, retired D.G. White, retired

E.A.R. Hancock, retired S.C. Trueman, e Rozario, b Alves Wod, c Osmund, b Guterres J.A. Tibble, st. Noronha, b Osmund G.R. Rossellet, lbw b Guter-

. S.A. Gray, c Remedios, b Lopes It. Leigh, not out Extras ...:.....

Total 112 (Eric Guest dld not bat) Bowling Analysis Alves, E.A.R. ... 0 0 31 Alves, J.L.S. ... 10 0 37 0 Wednesdays not Thursdays as when play stopped.

FRIENDLY GAME KCC—Optimists

In a friendly cricket game at King's Park, HKCC "Optimists" Wednesday. defeated the Kowloon Cricket Club by five wickets.

Batting first, KCC scored 120 4 Juns for seven wickets declared. Kilkenney, 100-1 chance for the Parker (USA) 6-2, 2-6, The "Optimists" had scored 138 Grand National steeplechase on 11-9, 6-2 in the semi-final of the for four when stumps were March 26, was withdrawn today

because he has gone lame. T. A. Madar scored 27 not out for KCC and W. M. Davidson, to 52.—Associated Press. Franklin and Snaith took two

Windmill 23 N. R. Oliver, opening batsman J.C. Richardson, not out 19 for the "Optimists" lift up 63 ' 3 before being caught by Burrow 15 off Taylor. Rowe was next best with 36 and Howard had 17 not Taylor: captured two wickets or 15 rups. Lee and Fincher

three respectively,

KCC Tennis 0 J. Barrow, c Kilbee, b Snaith lournament T. A. Madar, not out V. C. Bond, b Franklin

W. D. M. Webb, st Oliver, b E. Lee, not out E. Taylor, b Erson P. Hewitt, c Slatger, b

M. M. Little, c Davidson, b

N. R. Oliver, c Barrow, b

W. J. Sintger, retired

W. L. Howard, not out '....

A. S. Erson, lbw b Fincher

Franklin did not bat.

G.E. Taylor

W.M. Davidson ...

Barrow

. Hart-Baker ...

Taylor

G. T Rowe e Davidson, b Lee 36

Extras

L. D. Kilbee, A. L. Snaith. F.

Bowling Analysis

Meeting

1.30 p.m. in the University Pavi-

40 Meet on Saturday, March 19, at

begin this week.

learning first ald.

Members and

London, March 11.

REMINGTON

The actor, Hugh Wakefield's,

His scratching reduces the field

Taylor 63

************* on the "progressive" system and as a result the number of players has to be limited to 22.

lately. Thus far 16 players have already entered.

Entrance fee is \$5 per player. which includes cost of tea. No tiffin

As usual there will be prizes for

League

Total (for five wkts.) .. 138 their better goal average.

> place and given them another match for their already very heavy end of season programme. Results of matches played on Wednesday, March 9; Gurkhas 'B' 0

Buffs 'A' 2 Signals LEAGUE TABLE

RASC 'A' Hong Kong University will be Gurkhas 'A' holding its 28th Annual Athletic

II lion, Pokfulum Road. One of the events of the Meet is the Colony Open Half Mile which will be run off at about 3 p.m. This event is open to all keen athletes and they are cordially invited to participate. The winner will be rewarded.

AID LESSONS after the start of his men's First aid classes at the Kowloon Budge Patty (U.S.A.) in the Cricket Club, conducted under the Egyptian lawn tennis cham-W auspices of St. John Ambulance pionships here. Patty was 2 Brigade, will be held weekly on leading 3-2 in the first set previously announced. The lectures

Parker (USA) beat Pedro Massip their women (Spain) in straight sets. The friends have been urged to take American dictated the course of advantage of the opportunity of the game throughout to win 6-4,

men's doubles. Czech pair, Drobny and Cernik.

The tennis section of the Kow-loon Cricket Club is staging

another of its popular American tennis tournaments on Sunday, The tournament will be played

Entries can be made at the clubhouse and those wishing to play are requested to sign up immod-

will be ordered and those desiring it can make their own arrange-

Army Football

The only surprise in the games this week was the victory of Signals over Minor Units, who 10) have been playing very well of late. Minor Units, however, still stay in second place by virtue of

A further postponement has Thorpe, P. T. Mahon and R.W. caused Buffs "B" to drop to sixth

Gunners 'B' Gurkhas 'A' P. W. D. L. P. A. Ph 1 0 78 11 35

19 8 3 11 21 40 13 18 8 2 18 24 61 M 19 3 1 15 10 84 7

Cairo, March 11. Jaroslav . . Drobny, Davis Cup player, retired owing to lumbago ten minutes singles semi-final match against

In the other semi-final, Frank

6-3, 6-1. The Club's monthly bridge and Massip played well but was mahlong drive will take place on unable to pierce Parker's defence. Gottfried von Crumm, former German Davis' Cup player, and Jack Harper, of Australia, beat Tony Mottram (Britain)

In the final they meet the



ROOM AIR CONDITIONER,

Will keep your office—or your home cool and comfortable on the hottest days.

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

3/4 H.P. or 11/2 H.P.

AMERICAN FACTORY ENGINEER

Sole Agents: .

Windsor House, Hong Kong

Tels. 31291/2/3.





BREW FOR CALDBECKS!

DAVIE, BOAG & Co., Ltd.

The Exclusive Remington Feature

Flick A Key, And Your Margin Is Set.

No Stretching, No Pearing, No Funs!

It's KMC

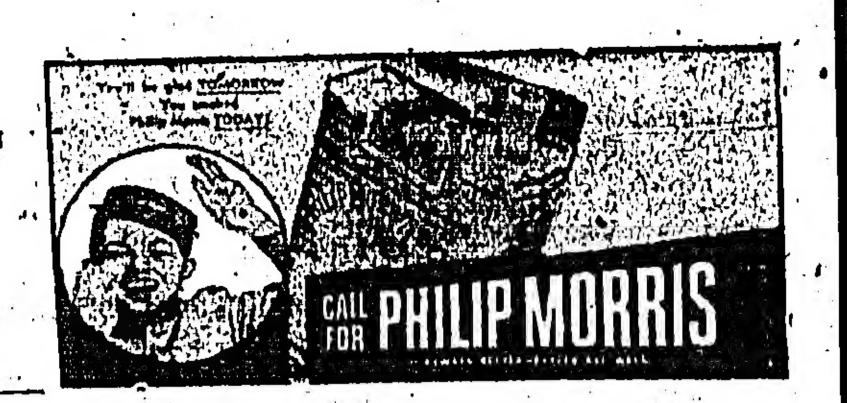
PLUS ALL THE OTHER FEATURES NEW AND

THE MOST FAMOUS NAME IN TYPEWRITERS.

STOCK AVAILABLE 13" 15" 20" 20" CABRIAGE SIZES.

ALEXANDRA BLDO

GLOUCESTER ARCADE



SKYMASTER, B.L. TAO UP,

In the main event of yesterday's 10-race programme at Happy Valley, the first section of the Magazine Gap Handicap, Skymaster, B. L. Tao

\$6.50, \$9.70, \$7.70.

4. National Gift.

\$6.70, \$9.70, \$7.50.

27,252. Place 18,222.

lengths.

\$6.00, \$10.80, \$8.00.

Total Win 28,917, Place 17,250,

Won by two lengths; five

149 (B.L. Tao), 10,814, 5,290; Toutale, 140

Magazina Gep Handicap

Race 5-(First Section). For

Won by 11/2 lengths; many

Pari-Mutuel Win \$6.90; Places

DETTING: Arabian Dagger, 146 (J.

1,850; Golden Dahlia, 159 (H.S. Chang).

3,929, 1,995; Gypey G|rl, 186 (W.F.M.

Cook), 220, 338; Home Builder, 185 (R.A.

Castro), 105, 146; Pay Day, -185 (K.

(B.L. Tao), 10.127, 5,407, Total Win

Race 6-(Third Section). For

Won by three lengths; a length.

_Parl=Mutuel_Win_\$28.20; Places

BETTING: A Grand Time, 189 (H.S.

Chang), Win 5,436, Place 2,761; Amigo,

150 (R.A. Castro), 2,778, 2,483; Arabian

Moon, 147 (K. Kwok), 3,710, 2,150; Chief

Witness, 151 (B.L. Tao), 9.097, 5.117;

Desert Enight, 149 (A. Ostroumoff), 1,790,

1,720; Prostylight, 152 (J. Poto-Hunt).

\$,667, 2,167; Possibility, 140 (K.F. Chiu),

5,189, 8,077; Priority, 146 (C.L. Gregory),

261, 628, Total Win 23,518, Place 20,078.

Smugglors Pass Stakes

Race 7-(Second Section). For

Australian Subscription Ponies of

1949. Ponies that have don \$750

or more in stakes barred. From

in (about one mile 171 yards).

1, Jasmin: 2, Reputation;

Won by many lengths;

Pari-Mutuel Win \$66.70; Places

BETTING: Good News, 147 (H.S.

Chang), Win 227, Place 807; Rappy Re

turn, 147 (3C.S. Bhu); 221, 150; Jaamin,

145 (H.T. Alexander), 1,632, 2,310; Radio

Reputation, 147 (J. Pote-Hunt), 4,463.

3,111; Reuter, 143 (L.B. Miu), 2,325,

1,556; Tressurer, 149 (Y.K. Tu), 1,387

Radiotron; 4, Happy Return.

Time: 2.03.4.

the two mile post once round and

Australian Ponles Class 5. Six

Kwok), 1,672, 1,414; Shun Fung, 142

Maitland), 1,426, 1,200 Skymaster,

3, Amigo: 4, Arabian Moon.

Time: 1.19.1.

\$8.70, \$7.20, \$9.70.

Win 1,068, Place 970;

Australian Subscription Ponies of

up, came in an easy winner. Golden Dahlie, the winner of the 1949 Hong Kong Derby, which beat Skymaster in that event,

failed even to secure a place. Racing yesterday was up to usual standard, with a few upsets which boosted the dividends on the pari mutuel, the highest being HK\$66.70 for a win in the seventh race.

Colonel H.T. Alexander graduated out of the novice class yesterday when he won his 10th victory on Jasmin in the seventh Have

Jasmin's win was a credit to both the jockey and the pony. Her victory over the red hot favourite, Radiotron, , which carried more than half the bets, was a complete surprise to punters Incidentally it was in this race that the highest dividend of \$66,-70 was paid.

The most successful lockey yesterday was B.L. Tao who brought in three winners and one second out of five events in which he rode. Second riding honours went to H. Muitland who secured two wins and one second, The closest finish was in the

third race in which Photo Finish had to decide the first and second ponies, the two being divided by only a head. Eighteen entries competed in

the last race, the Windy Gap Handicap, It was the largest field of the day, and was won by ten outsider. The Chief, ridden by Nos. 6348, 3247, 1734, 1291, 6951, S2,000 or H. Maitland. In the big sweep on the last;

race, ticket No. 85361 won the first prize of HK\$83,697; ticket No. 52202 the second prize of HK\$23,-214; and ticket No. 46207 the third prize of HK\$11,957. Fifteen tickets on the unplaced ponies each drew HK\$1,000.

Following are the results:-A new record was set in the eighth race for a one-round' B. L. Tao, made the distance of seven furlongs and 45 yards in one minute and thirty-six four-fifths seconds. The previous record was 1.37.2 by Shun Fung on January 19. Pottinger Gap Handicap

Race 1-(First Section). For Australian Ponies Class 5. Six fui longs. 1. Flestn; 2, Belle Fontaine; 3.

Colonia; 4, Trade Wind. Won by two lengths: 21/4 lengths.

Time: 1,19.0. Pari-Mutuel Win \$34.40; Places

\$12,20, \$8.30, \$9.10. BETTING: Belle Fontaine, 150 (H. Maltland), Win 3,446, Place 3,324; Colonia, 146 (A. Ostroumoff), 3.581, 2,676; Countess Delight, 151 (C.P. Ng), 1,497, 768; Domino, 159 (K.F. Chiu), 530, 262; Firsts, 142 (K. Kwok), 2,558, 1,518; Some Fun. 164 (H.S. Chang), 2,881, 2,049; Souvenir, 125 (R.A. Cmitro), 179, 94 Toowpombs, Boy, 148 (C.L. Gregory), 685. 799; Trade Wind, 148 (J. Pet-Hunt). - 4,860, 4,687, Total Win 20,167, Place

Smugglers Pass Stakes Race 2-(First Section). For Australian; Subscription Ponies of Yick, 149 (B.L. Tao), 1,854, 1,809; Jennie 1949. From the two mile post Public Opinion, 147 (W.A.N. Darkin), 84. once round and in (about one

mile 171 yards). 3. Busy Bee: 4. Ballering. Won by many lengths; 11/2. Place 13,228.

lengths. Time: 2.05.4. Pari-Mutuel Win \$8.60; Places \$5.70, \$7.60, \$7.30. BETTING: Ballerina, 142 (K.C. Wong). Win 216, Place 205; Huay Bee, 142 (L.S. Miu), 2.744, 1.765; Canadian Potato, 148 (Peter Young), 1,358, 929; Forever

Spring, 147 (K.S. Shu), 2,442, 1,544;

Honey Dew, 150 (Y.K. Tu), 90, 60; 10:0 |

RACE 1 Ist No. 6362 \$4,494 2415 1,284 606 Unplaced Ponics (\$100 each) Nos. 4551, 1749, 1821, 3265, 2114, 1 RACE 2

1st No. 260 \$4,604 2928 Unplaced Ponies (\$100 cach) Nos. 6437, 1130, 8910, 6713, 4896, 16567, 1875, 1528. RACE 3

1st No. 4257 \$5,048 1,442 Uhplaced Ponics (\$100 each) Nos. 3592, 4030, 5728, 4019, 3855. RACE 4 1st No. 6965 \$5,082

2nd , 1196 1,452 Unplaced Ponies (\$100 each) 2906, 4417. RACE 5 1st No. 5123 \$5,493

3rd .. 6935 Unplaced Ponies (\$100 each) Nos. 2710, 5729, 602, 5380, 5636. RACE 8 1st No. 1454 \$5,562 2nd ., 2302 1,589 3rd ., 5572

Unplaced Ponies (\$100 each) Thunderbolt, ridden by | Nov. 2418, 2580, 1029, 636, 5926. RACE 7 1st No. 6559 \$5,768 6226 1,64B 3rd " 4554 Unplaced Ponies (\$100 each) 30,186, Piece 18,821.

Nos. 136, 2540, 7324, 7709. RACE 8 1at No. 2808 \$5,688 2nd , 7325 1,625 furlongs. Unplaced Ponies (\$100 sach)

Nos. 5795, 3021, 3007, 1184, 3213, RACE 9 1nt No. 191 \$6,298 -2210 1,799

Unplaced Ponies (\$100 each) Nos. 3657, 5660, 5269, 1403. RACE 10 1st No. 85361 \$83,697 2nd ., 52202 23,914 3rd ,, 45207 11,957 Unplaced Ponies (\$1,000 each) Nos. 40626, 10914, 123998, 84307 38255, 93886, 39335, 88315, 97023, 102438, 19443, 121726, 106389

9787, 46819. 1 \$4; Sharpshouter, 147 (H.T. Alexander). 215, 280; Speed Wheel, 148 (C.L. Gre . Jennifer; 2, Forever Spring; gory), 948, 790; Strathlyon, 146 (W.Wil-

linmson), 77, 70, Total Win 19,472. Customs Pass Handicap Race 3-(First Section). For \$5.70, \$5.50, \$5.20. Australian Ponies Class 4. Once round (about seven furlongs 45

1. Anyway; 2, Lana; 3, Justice tron, 147 (A. Ustroumoff), 14,347, 7,071

of Pence; 4, Sugarfoot. Won by a head; four lengths. Time: 1.37.3.

387. Total Win 25,262, Place 15,392. Customs Pass Handicap Race 8-(Second Section). For Australian Ponies Class 4. Once round (about seven furlongs 45 HONG KONG LIGHT ORCHESTRA

1, Thunderbolt; 2, Flying Jib; 3 Big Shot; 4, National Congress. Won by jour lengths; half

Parl-Mutuel Win \$48,50; Places

\$10.30, \$10.80, \$6.10. BETTING: Avalon, 184 (R.A. Castro). Win 675, Place 655; Big. Shot, 184 (B.W. Lee), .18,078; 6,209; Castle, 144 .(T.B. Dau); 485, 2642, Flying Jib, 184 (W.F.M. Cook), 2,222, 1.190; Golden Dragon, 184 Class 6. One mile. (Wong Yan), 2,822, 1,061; National Congress, 159, (H. Maitland), 1,793, . 785; Spanish Onion, 185 (O.P. Ng), 800, 428; Thunderbolt, 148 (H.L. Tao), 2,787, 1,290; Victorious, 125 (K. Kwok), 5,810, 2,545. lengths. Total Wir 10,980, Place 14,697,

Magazine Gap-Handicap \$10.70, \$7.00, \$9.40. Race 9- (Second Section). For Australian Subscription Ponies of Win 8,189, Place 2,239; Al Freeco, 189 (8) Claur four "B". 1949. Ponies that have won (T.B. Dan), so, 84: Autumn Leaf, 147 \$2,000 or less in stakes barred. One mile.

1. High Speed; 2, V.I.P.; Parl-Mutuol Win \$10.50; Places Kwens Yid, 167; (J. Pote-Munt), \$704. played at the SCAA Stad um at street to the constitute of the constit Won by six lengths; a length.

Sparkling Star; 4, Shun Lec. \$0.60, \$11.00, \$14.50. DETTING: Tich Speed, 132 (J. Pote- 183; Mismi Besuty, 244 (R.F. Chiu), 612, following results: Hunt), Win 18,801, Place \$,096; Populary 288; Resemente, 186 (8.W. Lee), \$14, 4821 OA", DIVISION ity, (150: (E.F. Chin); \$.51.) 1,791; illng- Septentia, 155) (W.F.M., Cook), \$19,48; B. China beat Kowloon Chinese-mer, 135 (H.A. Castre), 2,061, 1,200; Strathnamara, 189 (H.A. Castre), 2,061, 1,200; Strathnamara, 189 (H.A. Castre) Houn Lon, 142 (II, Maittand), 6,211, 8,216; 461 | Sulphur, 110 (M.C. Woos)(62, 20; Ponthenet Wind, 188 (K. Kwok), 2,622, The Chief, 1(0 (II. Maltland), 2,448, 504; Resenting time, 150 (II.P. Chanson). 1.510; Tunny. 146 (U.L.; Gregory), 455. E.BIS. W.E.P., 186 (A. Ostronmoff), 612, Total Win 87,019, Place 14,800.

Home Football Results

FIRST DIVISION

London, March 12. The following were the results of football matches played today:

THIRD DIVISION (Southern)

0 Aldershot Reading Palnce Notts C: Win. E.GEZ; Place 5,421; Boom Town, 159 Derby (C.F. Chlu), 2,490; 2,400; Golden When. Huddersfield Middlesbro Bristol R. Orlent Everton: Swansen Millwall Burnley 152 (Peter Young), 247, 227; Jeep Ring, Northampion Bournemouth Birminghom 137 (II. Maitland), 491, 672; Justice of Ipswich Norwich Stoke City Manchester U 3 Peace, 152 (J. Pote-Hunt), 7,260, 2,018; Newport Port Vale Charlton Lana, 156 (B.W. Lee), 3,588, 1,742; Sugar-Sheffleld U Watford Southend foot, 158 (W.A.N. Darkin), 218, 154; The Sunderland Portsmouth Torquay Dingo, 152 (K. Kwok), 6,986, 4,668. Wolves Newcastle SECOND DIVISION SCOTTISH LEAGUE CUP-Coventry FINAL (Played at Hampden Park) Bury Race 4-(Second Section), For 2 Raith Rovers 0 Leicester Rangera Australian Ponles Class 5. Six West Ham LEAGUE-"A" Chesterfield 1, Senfire; 2, Tootsle; 3, Brivisto; Albion Roy. Sheffield W Aberdeen · Queen of S. Brentford Clyde Lincoln l | Falkirk Celtic West Brom. Morton 2 Hearts Plymouth Partick This. 0 | Motherwell Queen's P R 0 Spurs Parl-Mutuel Win \$11,50; Places Southampton 2 Leeds 1 St. Mirren Dundee SCOTTISH LEAGUE—"B" BETTING: Brivisto, 148 (A. Ostrou-4 Stirling Alb. 0 | Airdriconlans Halifax moff), Win 5,051, Place 3,473; Care Free, 2 St. Johnstone 150 (C.L. Gregory), 2,044, 1,994; Empress | Chester 2 Alloa Athl. Oldham Queen's Park 2 of Pears, 147 (Wong Yan), 1,271, 665; Crewe Mansfield i Arbroath 3 S'housemuir 1 ground. Hel Pollol, 148 (B.W. 149), 291, 271; | Durlington Ayr United Hull Jump Bid, 185 (PLA, Castro), 2,252, 2,866; | Gateshead East Stirling Bradford C. 2 i Cowdenbeath Marber, 143 (T.B. Dau), 101, 87; National | Dumbarton Doncaster Gift, 145 (K.S. Shu), 1,596, 1,022; Beaffre, 2 Hamilton A. Accrington O AMATEUR INTERNATIONAL Rotherham (K. Kwok), 2,598, 1,868; Windermere, 141 (Played at Linnelly) (H. Maitland), 1,124, 689, Total Win | Southport Tranmere 0 | Wales Wrexham

Australian Subscription Ponies of 1949. Ponies that have won \$2,000 or less in stakes barred. Annual Sports Meet Chinese right wing culminated the equaliser and after 15 minutes busceeded through Lee Yuk-tak. Its comparative inexpensiveness. Within another three minutes ball had struck the crossbar and Within another three minutes ball had struck the crossbar and Within another three minutes ball had struck the crossbar and Sport in America is popular succeeded through Lee Yuk-tak. Within another three minutes ball had struck the crossbar and Sport in America is players. Sport in America is players of American football have At Queen's College 1. Skymaster; 2, Arabian Dagger: 8, Duchess Delight; 4, Pay

The recently rehabilitated Queen's College Sports Pavilion at Causeway Bay was re-opened yesterday by Mrs. T. R. Rowell, wife of the Director of Education.

Duchess Delight, 146 (K.S. Shul, 2,682). The Pavilion, which was erected about 33 years ago, was badly damaged by looters during the

was marked by the holding of Distance: 36 feet and 1/2 inch. the School's Annual Sports Meeting, in which 137 students yiu, (2) Yau Chack-tung and Pottinger Gap Handicap took part.

On conclusion of the Sports and 1/8 seconds. Meeting, Mrs. Rowell presented | prizes to the successful contes- Kang-ming, (2) Chan Chun- Mooney, Ellam, Buck, Gillam and riongs.
1, Possibility: 2, Chief Witness: tants. Among the prizes were two yeung and (3) Chan Pui-lam. Shute. silver Shields donated by Mr.

Hin-shing Lo. Mr. H.N. Williamson. College President, urged the unsuccessful contestants not to be disappointed, but to bear in mind His Majesty's message at the Tong Ping-shui, (2). Li Chi-yin opening of the 1948 Olympic and (3) Lam Hang-sham. Time: Games: "The glory lies not in

winning, but in taking part." (1) Yau Fat-sing, (2) Tong Pingshiu and (3) M.N. Adnl. Dis- inches. tance: 33 feet and six inches. Ping-leung, (2) Chan Hok-yuen (3) Wong Kwok-choi. Time: 61 ward line showed more thrust and (3) Cheung Hou-tai. Time: two minutes 31 and 4/5 seconds.

(3) Chan Chi-kwan. Time: two Time: 60 seconds. minutes 24 and 3/5 seconds. Junior 100 metres: (1) Au Chi- sing, (2) Chan Kwok-ki and (3) in this half. yuen, (2) Cheung Ping and Lam Wong Ying-wing. Distance: 17 Sui-fat. Time: 11 and 4/5 seconds, feet and three inches. Senior 100 metres: (1), Chan Pul-lam, (2) Hau Kang-ming Pak-keung, (2) Leung Chik-wai and (3) Chan Chun-yeung. Time: jand (3) Leung Sing-hon. Height: 11 and 1/5 seconds.

Benior shot put: Chun-yeung, (2) Leung Chick-Rapier Picks

Four Winners The results of yesterday's races again testify to the re-Hability of Rapier's tips. He picked four straight wins and one outsider and 12 places, of I which two were outsiders. One pony which he picked did not start.

**************** 2.961, 1,401. Total Win 33,509, Place

Windy Gap Handicap

Race 10 For Australian Ponles 1, The Chief; 2, Kwong Yiu; 3, 17 Yeet and two inches. Autumn Leaf; 4, Tunny. Won by 21/2 lengths; four Pritam Singh and (2) Tsui Hing-

Time: 1.48.0. Pari-Mutuel Win \$50.00; Places BETTING: Aan Hing. 149 (K. Kwok). two "A". (2) Class four "D" and (A. Ostroumoff), 8,892, 1,972; Constant Blar, 180 (Peter Young), 586, 889; Corrie Don, 187 (H.S. Chang), 174, 22; Dashing Deauty 11, 184 (H.P. Chanson), 5,749. 1,223; Ding How, 187 (O.F. No). 491; 260; Elmer, 142 (Wond Yan), 2,008, 718; 4,224; Lightning, 141 (L.M., Mhu). 207. Carolino Hill last night with the

Barrow

Japanese Occupation.

The re-opening ceremony | wai and (3) Wong Nai-cham. Junior 200 metres: (1) Au Chi-

Junior shot put: (1) Lam Tatlau, (2) Ching Ting and

Young Kwok-lau. Distance: 32 Open event 1,500 metres: (1) five minutes 27 and 2/5 seconds. Senior hop; step and jump: (1) Wong Pok-keung. (2) Yau Junior Hop, step and Jump: Tat-hoy and (3) Shum Cheuk- fast pace throughout and the yam. Distance: 35 feet and 10 issue was in doubt up till the

Junior 400 metres: (1) Au Chi-Senior 800 metres: (1) Chan yiu, (2) Cheung Ping-kwan and was with the Army, whose for-

Senior 400 metres: (1) Chan Junior 800 metres: (1) Au Chi- Chun-yeung. (2) Hau Kangyeung (2) Tong Ping-shiu and ming and (3) Fung Kwok-wa, goalkeeping of Bartrum (RAF)

"Benier high jump: (1) Wong

five and a half feet. Junior high Jump: Sui-fat, (2) You Cheuk-ming and

(3) Ko Wai-yee. Height: four feet and nine inches Government Junior schools 200 all efforts to break through. (1) Chiu Shiu-hai (Wantsia Evening school), (2) into the picture with several

school) and (3) Fung Chiu-wing robbed them of all chances (Wantsia Evening school). Time: score the equaliser. 25 minutes and 4/5 seconds. invitation Medicy relay race, Army winners by the only goal 200, 400 and 800 metres: (1) St. of the match. Joseph's College and (2) D. B. S. Time: four minutes and 9 2/5 tar, Butcher, Wilson, Townsley,

Inter-class relay race (4, x 100 Colley. metres): (1) Class two "A", (2) | Army: - Anderson, Class three "B" and (3) Class Nassau,

Senior long Jump: (1) Yau Tathoy, (2) Wong Pak-keung and (3) Loung Chik-wai. Distance: Old boys race (handlesp):

woh. Time: 12 minutes and 4/5 seconds. "Interclase ... medley, relay race, 200, 400, 800 metres: (1) Class

> BASKETBALL RESULTS

The first game in the Hong

South China "A" Trounce Navy; Army Beat Airmen

RESULTS AT A

FIRST DIVISION

SECOND DIVISION

South China was well served

Royal Navy 0 8, China "A"

GLANCE ~

0 Army

4 Royal Navy

2 South China

Chinese AA

0 Kit Chee

Displaying all-round superiority, South China "A" trounced Royal Navy by eight clear goals in a one-sided First Division soccer game at Causeway Bay yesterday.

At Sookunpoo, Army just managed to take both points from RAF, whom they beat by one goal to nil in a clasely contested game...

Eastern showed a welcome return to form at Caroline Hill, when they beat South China "B" by five goals to

Royal Navy 0-S. China "A" 8

Navy started off in promising Egstern style by taking the ball into the South China goalmouth from the kick-off, but the Chinese defence Army HK was not to be caught napping. Solicitors' After this initial thrust, Tramways Navy attack faded out of the Army Kin. picture and was seldom seen to advantage, although it did try hard on several occasions to break through the sound Chinese, defence which refused to give by Choy Kin-chung in goal. He gave a very good display and

South China took a firm hold saved several point blank shots. on the game and their forwards, ably supported by an energetic defence, subjected the Navy defence to a gruelling time.

score until late in the first hair when a clever movement on the rebounded into play. Continuing their attacks, South through Tong Sheung.

China went further ahead when

again assumed the offensive and Hung-ki. although the Navy defence continued to offer stiff resistance, the South China forwards had

further ahead and this goal was the forerunner of five more before the final whistle.

Royal Navy:-Pratt, Convery, Senior 200 metres: (1) Hau Tozer, Edge, Rowlands, Holloway,

South China "A":-Yu Yiu-tak, Hau Yung-song, Cheung Shuling, Chang Kam-hoi, Tse Kamhung, Lau Chung-sang, Fai Chunwah .- Fung ... King-choung, ... Chu Wing-keung, Tin Hip-po and Tse Kam-ho.

RAF 0-Army

final whistle. In the first half, the advantage than their opposite numbers. Both goals had narrow escapes and it was only the brilliant and Anderson (Army) which Junior long jump: (1) Yau Tat- prevented any goals being scored

> Shortly after the resumption Army drew first blood through Woods, who notted from a centre, was played on March 1 and This goal served to instil more

life into the Army, whose forwards launched attack after at- | tee last night. tack on the RAF goal. opposing defence fought back gamely, however, and repulsed The RAF forward line came Cheung Kin-ngai (Yaumati Day keen thrusts, but erratic shooting

> The final whistle came with RAF:--Bartrum, Durham, Sou-

Craighead. Marsden and Ramskill. S. China "B" 2---

Eastern 5, Eastern showed a great imdeserved their win.

without doubt Lee Tin-ki in the 20: centre forward.

He was however, well supported by Lam Tak-po and Forrow (Club), Nassau (Army)

forward, proved too elusive for (Army).

New York March 11. United States, according to Mr. James Barriskill, of the United States Soccer Association. He expects the visits of British professional teams this summer to give the game even

"American soldiers were exnosed to the game while in England, Scotland and Northern Ireland," he said, "and many of themi came back and turned into good

senior Leagues.

Mr. Barriskill estimates that . Eastern started to attack right from the start and within the

South China fought hard for Chinese right wing culminated the equaliser and after 15 minutes which makes soccer a popular Within another three minutes its comparative inexpensiveness. South China took the lead Players of American football have

Lee Wai-lam equalised and Chu Wing-keung beat Pratt with shortly before the interval, Eastern regained the lead from On resumption, the Chinese a penalty kick through Lee

Except for a few spasmodic raids put up by South China, matters more or less their own Eastern took command of the game in the second half and Tin Hip-po put South China added two more goals.

Lau Wing-kwong scored the [fourth goal with a brilliant] Goal scorers were Chu Wing- header and before the final keung (1), Tin Hip-po (2), Fung whistle Lee Wai-lam scored the (3) Wong Yeung-wing. Time: 24 | King-cheung (1) and Lau Chung- best goal of the match when he and 1/2 records netted with a first time effort Club de Recreio v HKCC "Occathat left the goalie standing.

South China "B":-Choy_Kin- Indian Recreation Club v RAF at chung, Tsang Chung-wan, Leung Scung-tai, Chung Fook-luch, Sin Yau-sang, Fung Kam-wong, Ko Po-keung, Lee Yuk-tak, Chan Tak-fai, Tong Sheung and Chow

Eastern: -- Leung Bing-tong Kwok Sing-king, Lam Tak-po, Tang Tai-chun, Lee Ting-kl, Lam Yee-keng, Lee Hung-ki, Lau Foochuen, Lee Wai-lam, Lui Keekwong and Law Wing-kwong.

Both points in the First Dockyard v Eastern; Cancelled. Division soccer match between | Club v St. Joseph's; Club 3 p.m.; Chinese AA and Police, which ended in a two-all draw, were awarded to Chinese AA by the League Management Commit-

The Committee reached decision after consideration of a complaint by Chinese AA regarding the playing by Police of an ineligible player, Yuen Yiu-lam. It was made clear that the deci- | Civil Service v Navy; King's Park sion of the Committee should not be taken as a precedent, but that cases of this nature would be dealt with on their individual merits. It was also emphasised that

Police had played Yuen Yiu-lam Stanley, Cross, Studd, Gray and in good faith, believing his transfer to their team to be in order. Permission for Yuen's transfer Perfment, to the police was granted by the "D". Time: 52 and 1/5 Surtees, Brown, West, Woods, Committee, so that he will be eligible to play for Police their match against St. Joseph's

> The following team, meanwhile was selected to represent the provement in form and thoroughly Non-Chinese in the final game of the Governor's Cup Competition, The best player on view-was which will be played on March

pivotal position for Eastern. Ho Anderson (Army), Rochs (St was a tower of strength and be- Joseph's), Tozer (Royal Navy) sides feeding his forwards with Robinson (Army), Leonard (St. well directed passes, also found Joseph's), Craighead (Airny), Quested to attend this very imtime to keep a close watch on Xavier (St. Joseph's), Mulien port meeting. Chan Tak-fal, South China's (Club), Howlett (Police), Kiernan (Club), Main (Club). Reserves: Leck (Bt. Joseph's).

Los Wal-lam, Eastern's centre Gomes (St. Joseph's). Ramskill

Lau Sing best Black and White performance by scoring two souvenirs on conclusion of the FRANK LESLIE BUSH, Window House

Soccer In U.S. Booming,

Soccer is booming in the greater impetus.

He added that there are more than 50,000 League players in the United States and more than 160

40,000 people watch matches in Now York when, every week-end, 200 teams are in action during the sesson from September 1 to June 15. "There is a tremendous fufirst five inhutes of the game ture for soccer in this country, opened the scoring through Lai because it is catching on like line spolling game and thwarted Kee-kwong, who netted with a wildfire in high schools. Those all attempts of the Chinese to header from a pass by Lee youngsters will improve the game riskill said. He explained that one thing

to buy expensive leather body padding, in addition to their other "togs," but, said Mr. Barriskill, a soccer player can be equipped for

"At the same time," he said, "you don't have to be big or powerful. Many a small man can play a better game than la bigger opponent, because it's a game of cleverness, not strength." Size is a predominant factor in. American football.—Reuter.

sionals" at King's Park 11.15

Sookunges SOCCOP 1st Division Joseph's v Police; Club 4.30 Referee: J. Ward:

Linesmen!"P.-George and Sgt. Kit Chee v CAA: Caroline Hill 4.30 p.m.; Referee: A., F.: Willis: Linesmen: Lt. Davey and J. Day. KMB v Club; Boundary 4.30 p.m. Referee: A.E.P. Guest; Lines-

men: W. Gibson and H. Richardson. Kwong Wah (bye), 2nd Division PCA v Talkoo; Caroline Hill 3 p.m.; Referee: Lt. Davey. Police v KMB; Boundary 3 p.m.; Referee: Li Bing-tong.

WD Chinese v University; Can-Referee: W. Crawford.

> Hockey SUNDAY, MARCH 13

Club de Recrelo y Army; King's Park. 10 a.m.; Umpires: R.P. Xavier and B.B.P.O. Yeomans. LAF v Cable and Wireless; Kai Taki 10.80 a.m.; Umpires: E.R.A. Miller and J.H. Blinko. HK Police v Khales; Boundary Street (Kowloon). 10.50 a.m.; Umpiress

B/Cdr. Padley and W.A. Musty. (RNRC 1), 10.30 a.m.; /Umpires Capt. Chlanell and Capt. Payrie !! Dutch HO v. University; Sockunpoc. 1h s.m.; Umpires: G.T. Palmer, and Capt. Mullins. Dockward RO v YMCA: King's Park (RNRO 2), 10 a.m.; Umpires J.S.

Referees To Meet Iomorrow

The Fortnightly Meeting of the Hong Kong Football Referees Association will be held in the offices of the HKFA Prince's AGENDA

(1) Minutes of last meeting. (2) Correspondence. (3) Referees Dinner. (4) Laws of the game.

(6) Any other business. All referees are carneally re-

More Sports News Will Be Found On Page 23.

South China's defenders and Sir Alexander Grantham, Will Printed and published for the Prepries crowned a very good afternoon's be invited to present the Cup and less, the China Mail Limited, he

BAR & BUFFET BOOKINGS: Moutries/Peninsula Hotel.

PRESENTS

POPULAR MUSIC

(SUNDAY PROMS)

TONIGHT AT 9 P.M.

Seats-\$10, \$5, \$3.

PROCEEDS TO BANK INSTRUMENT FUND.